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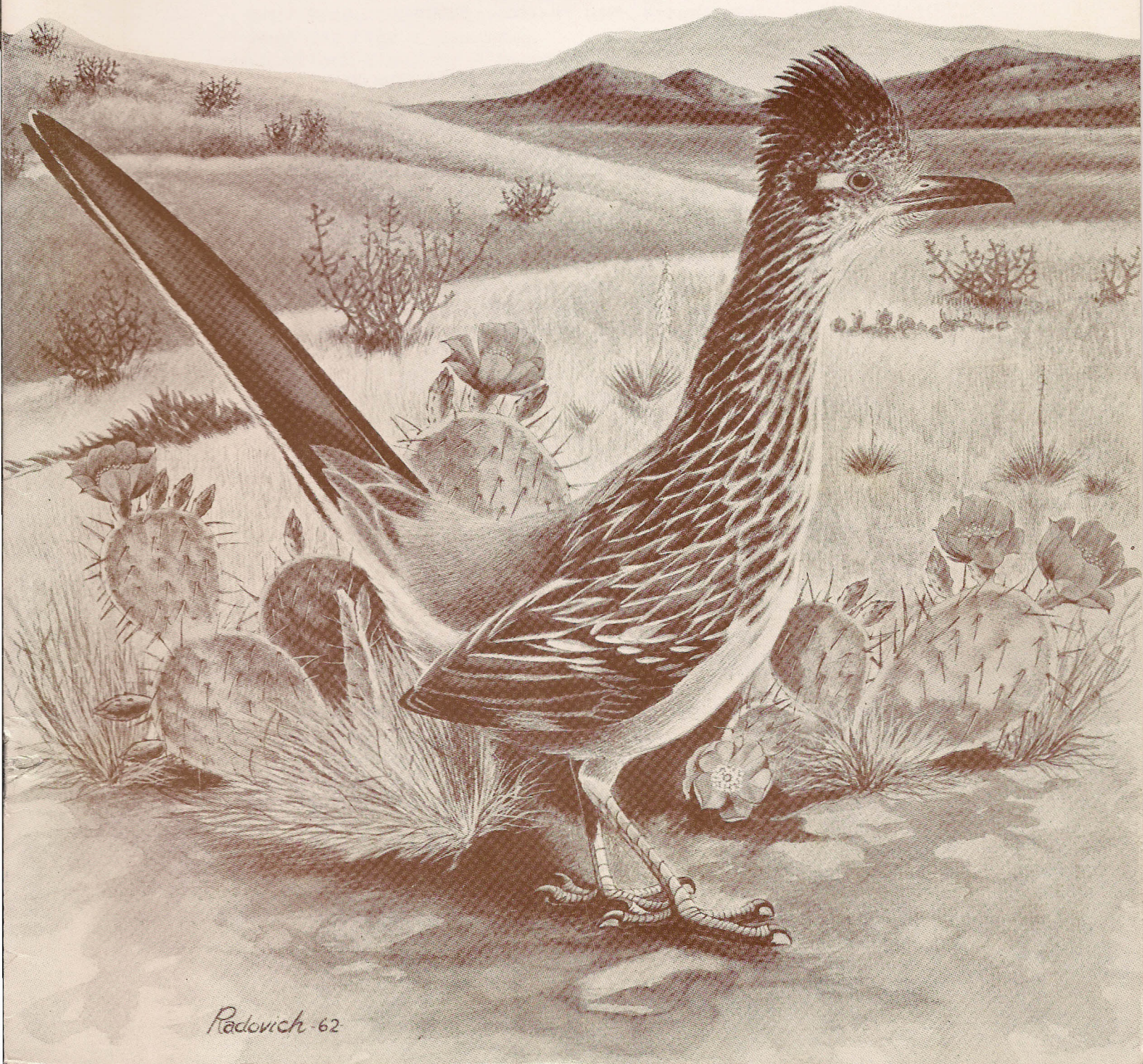
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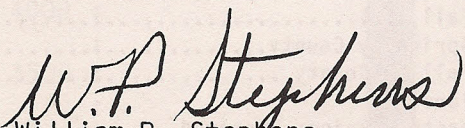


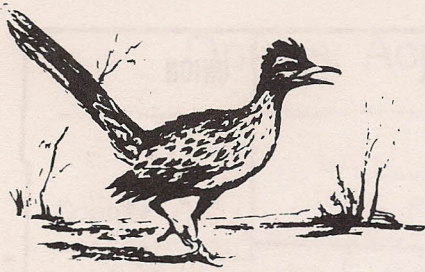
TO THOSE INTERESTED IN NEW MEXICO'S AGRICULTURE:

The New Mexico Department of Agriculture is happy to cooperate with the U.S. Department of Agriculture to provide information on New Mexico's agricultural industry. Statistics on agriculture are necessary for tracking the previous production activity and in providing insight for future business decisions. Readers of this publication include producers, agribusiness persons, legislators, academicians and the lay public. Each entity has its own agenda for use of this information and has expressed appreciation for the recording and publishing of detailed data in a readable and effective format.

We are pleased to continue this service to the public and especially hope it will provide help to farmers and ranchers as they chart their course for the coming year.

Sincerely,


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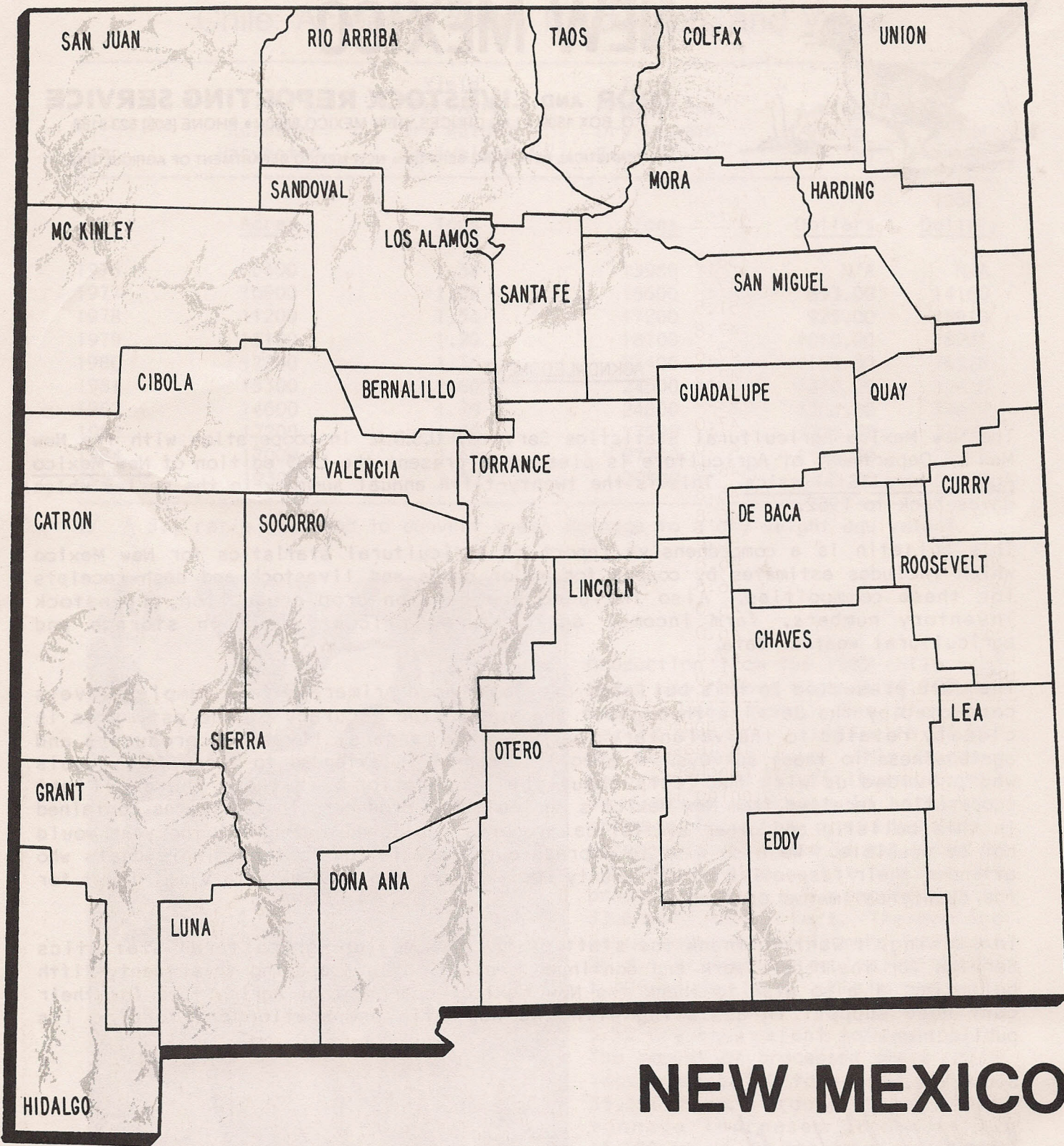
This bulletin is a comprehensive report of agricultural statistics for New Mexico which includes estimates by county for major crops and livestock and cash receipts for these commodities. Also included are data on crop production, livestock inventory numbers, farm income, agricultural prices, grain in storage and agricultural weather data.

The data presented in this bulletin are developed primarily from sample surveys conducted by the Service throughout the year. The accuracy of the estimates is closely related to the voluntary responses by farmers, livestock producers and agribusiness to these surveys. A special "Thanks" is extended to those individuals who provided us with the facts about their operations. Without the excellent cooperation received from New Mexico's agricultural producers the estimates contained in this bulletin and other statistical reports published throughout the year would not be possible. We also wish to express our appreciation to those individuals who attended their respective annual county meetings and provided us with vital input for the county estimates program.

In closing, I want to thank the staff of the New Mexico Agricultural Statistics Service for their hard work and continued dedication in preparing this twenty-fifth bulletin. I also wish to thank the New Mexico Department of Agriculture for their continued support in assisting with the bulletin preparation and funding its publication.

Sincerely,

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NEW MEXICO

Farm Numbers and Land in Farms

Year	Number of all Farms	Land in all Farms 1/	Number of Cattle Ranches	Number of Milk Cow Farms	Number of Sheep Ranches	Number of Hog Farms
	1000 Farms	Million Acres	-----Number 2/-----			
1940	34.1	38.9				
1950	23.6	47.5				
1960	18.2	51.5				
1970	12.4	47.8	9000	2200	1400	1500
1971	12.2	47.6	8800	2100	1300	1600
1972	12.0	47.5	8600	2000	1300	1500
1973	12.0	47.5	8000	1900	1300	1500
1974	12.2	47.0	8500	1500	1200	1700
1975 3/	12.0	47.0	8500	1800	1200	1700
1976	12.3	46.9	8500	1800	1300	1700
1977	12.6	46.8	8500	1800	1400	1700
1978	13.0	46.8	8300	1700	1400	1700
1979	13.3	46.8	8100	1700	1400	1900
1980	13.5	46.8	8500	1800	1500	2100
1981	14.0	46.8	9000	1800	1600	1900
1982	14.0	46.0	9500	1700	1600	1700
1983	14.0	46.0	9000	1500	1600	1500
1984	14.0	45.8	9000	1400	1600	1300
1985	13.8	45.0	9000	1400	1500	1200

- 1/ This does not include approximately 22.2 million acres of BLM & Forest Service land which is leased to farmers and ranchers on a per head basis.
- 2/ Includes farms and ranches having one or more head of species.
- 3/ NEW DEFINITION beginning in 1975: Farms and ranches with annual sales of \$1000 or more.



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1985 NEW MEXICO AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

Irrigated Cropland and Sources of Water, 1985 1/

County	Source of Water			Total Irrigated Cropland	Total Acres Irrigated	Planted Not Irrigated or Idle and Fallow
	Surface Only	Ground Only	Surface & Ground 2/			
-----Acres-----						
BERNALILLO	6810	360	3460	10630	9760	870
CATRON	2010	240	370	2620	930	1690
CHAVES	3260	78970	15590	97820	89635	8185
CIBOLA	6300	500	1860	8660	2430	6230
COLFAX	30800	---	---	30800	20140	10660
CURRY	---	222000	80	222080	111140	110940
DE BACA	6140	7080	---	13220	12320	900
DONA ANA	---	9370	86660	96030	75830	20200
EDDY	15180	35470	25020	75670	48325	27345
GRANT	1840	3380	1730	6950	2970	3980
GUADALUPE	3730	450	---	4180	3375	805
HARDING	---	4670	---	4670	2090	2580
HIDALGO	---	37640	2780	40420	12375	28045
LEA	---	116440	---	116440	44010	72430
LINCOLN	2230	1920	2160	6310	5035	1275
LUNA	10670	61970	1300	73940	40890	33050
McKINLEY	6240	200	---	6440	1095	5345
MORA	15460	---	---	15460	13150	2310
OTERO	3450	13490	2350	19290	9265	10025
QUAY	40550	14940	---	55490	37720	17770
RIO ARRIBA	40330	500	280	41110	30460	10650
ROOSEVELT	---	143670	---	143670	96300	47370
SAN JUAN	96340	---	10390	106730	85280	21450
SAN MIGUEL	13370	150	---	13520	11230	2290
SANDOVAL	16410	80	780	17270	7695	9575
SANTA FE	5850	11340	650	17840	13670	4170
SIERRA	3050	2940	5410	11400	7565	3835
SOCORRO	3330	1310	16340	20980	20595	385
TAOS	35900	5230	770	41900	28015	13885
TORRANCE	---	38110	---	38110	24205	13905
UNION	8310	51300	390	60000	54195	5805
VALENCIA	18930	---	9640	28570	21760	6810
STATE	396490	863720	188010	1448220	943455	504765

1/ Includes crops irrigated, crops planted on irrigated land but not irrigated, and idle and fallow land in crop rotation.

2/ Surface and ground are considered to furnish a combined source of irrigation water supply.

SOURCE: Sources of Irrigation Water and Irrigated and Dry Cropland Acreages in New Mexico, by County, 1981-85, New Mexico State University, Agricultural Experiment Station

Acres of Irrigated Cropland V^{1/}

County	1970	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
BERNALILLO	13240	10630	10630	10630	10630	10630	10630
CATRON	2700	2620	2620	2620	2620	2620	2620
CHAVES	100100	98720	97820	97820	97820	97820	97820
CIBOLA	---	---	10680	10680	10120	8660	8660
COLFAX	34780	33200	33200	33200	33200	33200	30800
CURRY	190000	222080	222080	222080	222080	222000	222080
DE BACA	9790	13220	13220	13220	13220	13220	13220
DONA ANA	97330	96030	96030	96030	96030	96030	96030
EDDY	74610	76440	75670	75670	75670	75670	75670
GRANT	8010	7060	7340	7710	7690	7690	6950
GUADALUPE	3830	4180	4180	4180	4180	4180	4180
HARDING	6270	4670	4670	4670	4670	4670	4670
HIDALGO	35240	41420	41420	41340	41340	41340	40420
LEA	99000	119240	119240	119240	119240	119240	116440
LINCOLN	5800	6310	6310	6310	6310	6310	6310
LUNA	71460	73940	73940	73940	73940	73940	73940
McKINLEY	6440	6440	6440	6440	6440	6440	6440
MORA	18000	15460	15460	15460	15460	15460	15460
OTERO	17100	19290	19290	19290	19290	19290	19290
QUAY	50620	55490	55490	55490	55490	55490	55490
RIO ARRIBA	41110	41110	41110	41110	41110	41110	41110
ROOSEVELT	103700	138240	143670	143670	143670	143670	143670
SAN JUAN	59700	88350	96340	106730	106730	106730	106730
SAN MIGUEL	13500	13520	13520	13520	13520	13520	13520
SANDOVAL	16270	16960	16960	16960	16960	16960	17270
SANTA FE	15840	17840	17840	17840	17840	17840	17840
SIERRA	8840	9110	9110	9110	9290	11400	11400
SOCORRO	17820	20630	20630	20830	20830	20980	20980
TAOS	41900	41900	41900	41900	41900	41900	41900
TORRANCE	33330	37280	38110	38110	38110	38110	38110
UNION	39710	57700	57700	57700	57700	60000	60000
VALENCIA	43690	39250	28570	28570	28570	28570	28570
STATE	1279730	1428330	1441190	1452070	1451670	1454690	1448220

1/ Excludes farmsteads, feedlots, roads, and ditches. Includes idle, fallow and diverted acreage.

SOURCE: Sources of Irrigation Water and Irrigated and Dry Cropland Acreages in New Mexico, by County, 1981-85, New Mexico State University, Agricultural Experiment Station

Usual Planting and Harvesting Dates

Crop	1985 Harvested Acreage	Usual Planting Dates	Usual Harvesting Dates			Principal Counties
			Begins	Most Active	Ends	
(1000 Acres)						
FIELD CROPS:						
BARLEY	15.0					
FALL SOWN		SEP 1-OCT 15	JUN 10	JUN 20-JUL 10	JUL 20	CURRY-SAN JUAN-CHAVES
SPRING SOWN		FEB 15-APR 1	JUN 15	JUN 20-JUL 10	AUG 1	LUNA-DONA ANA-EDDY
CORN, ALL	91.0	APR 15-MAY 20	SEP 25	OCT 5-OCT 30	NOV 20	TORRANCE-SAN JUAN-UNION CURRY-ROOSEVELT
COTTON	61.9	APR 10-MAY 20	OCT 10	OCT 25-NOV 30	DEC 20	CHAVES-DONA ANA-EDDY LUNA-ROOSEVELT
HAY, ALFALFA	250.0		MAY 1		OCT 20	CHAVES-DONA ANA-EDDY SAN JUAN-VALENCIA
PEANUTS FOR NUTS	12.4	MAY 10-JUN 1	OCT 5	OCT 10-OCT 25	NOV 10	ROOSEVELT
SORGHUM, ALL	290.0	MAY 10-JUL 1	OCT 15	OCT 20-NOV 15	DEC 15	
WHEAT	570.0					
WINTER		AUG 25-OCT 15	JUN 15	JUN 20-JUL 10	JUL 20	CURRY-QUAY-ROOSEVELT
DURUM		JAN 1-FEB 20	JUN 20	JUN 20-JUL 15	JUL 20	DONA ANA
VEGETABLES:						
CHILE PEPPERS	19.3					
RED		MAR 1-APR 1	OCT 1	OCT-NOV	DEC 15	EDDY-SIERRA
GREEN		MAR 1-APR 1	AUG 1	AUG-SEP	OCT 15	DONA ANA-LUNA
LETTUCE						
SPRING	1.6	JAN 15-FEB 1	APR 25	MAY 1-MAY 15	JUN 5	
FALL	1.6	AUG 1-AUG 20	OCT 5	OCT 10-NOV 10	NOV 15	DONA ANA-LUNA-SIERRA
ONIONS	4.5					
GRANO		OCT 1-OCT 15	MAY 25	JUN 1-JUL 1	JUL 25	
SWEET SPANISH		JAN 20-MAR 15	JUL 15	JUL 15-AUG 15	OCT 1	DONA ANA-LUNA
POTATOES	10.4	MAR 5-APR 1	JUL 15	AUGUST	SEP 15	CURRY-ROOSEVELT
		APR 20-MAY 10	SEP 1	SEP 20-OCT 1	OCT 20	SAN JUAN-TORRANCE
FRUITS:						
APPLES						
NORTH	---		SEP 1	SEP 1-OCT 20	OCT 30	RIO ARRIBA-SAN JUAN BERNALILLO-SANDOVAL SANTA FE
SOUTH	---		AUG 15	SEP 1-OCT 15	OCT 30	DONA ANA-LINCOLN CHAVES-OTERO-SIERRA
GRAPES	---		AUG 15	SEP 1-SEP 30	OCT 15	GRANT-LUNA-SIERRA SOCORRO
NUTS:						
PECANS	---		NOV 1	NOV 15-DEC 31	JAN 1	DONA ANA-CHAVES-EDDY

Climate, 1985

County	Station	Elev- ation (feet)	Years of Record	Growing Season			Annual Precipitation		
				Median Last Spring Freeze	Median First Fall Freeze	Median Length (days)	Years of Record	Median 1985 (inches)	
Bernalillo	Albuquerque 1/	5326	52	04-17	10-30	194	54	8.15	10.75
Catron	Luna Ranger Station	7050	35	06-22	09-12	74	54	14.79	16.62
Chaves	Roswell 2/	3500	73	04-10	10-27	198	78	11.64	14.54
Cibola	Grants	6520	29	05-23	10-03	126	31	10.05	10.93
Colfax	Raton Filter Plant	6920	31	05-13	10-10	148	32	15.94	18.44
Curry	Clovis 3 SSW	4280	64	04-17	10-28	192	74	16.73	22.96
De Baca	Ft. Sumner	4025	33	04-19	10-22	185	54	13.61	19.11
Dona Ana	Las Cruces 3/	3881	90	04-11	10-29	198	111	8.20	12.55
Eddy	Carlsbad	3120	36	04-01	11-03	216	54	12.20	12.56
Grant	Ft. Bayard	6142	72	04-28	10-22	178	88	15.00	4/
Guadalupe	Santa Rosa	4620	36	04-20	10-24	183	54	13.51	4/
Harding	Mosquero 1 NE	5465	47	05-05	10-11	157	59	16.10	17.06
Hidalgo	Lordsburg 4 SE	4250	33	04-24	11-02	195	54	10.45	18.57
Lea	Hobbs	3615	37	04-04	11-04	217	52	14.91	25.51
Lincoln	Carrizozo	5438	36	05-03	10-17	170	54	12.48	14.21
Luna	Deming	4305	18	04-16	10-31	193	78	8.61	16.36
McKinley	Gallup 5 E	6600	26	05-24	09-26	121	32	9.10	12.65
Mora	Valmora	6300	36	05-16	10-02	136	54	15.27	20.61
Otero	Alamogordo	4350	33	04-09	11-02	209	54	10.44	18.34
Quay	Tucumcari 4 NE	4096	71	04-20	10-27	188	80	14.94	21.43
Rio Arriba	Chama	7850	30	06-16	09-12	83	54	19.70	29.25
Roosevelt	Portales	4010	32	04-22	10-17	178	54	15.87	19.41
San Juan	Aztec Ruins Nat'l Mon.	5644	37	05-17	10-07	139	54	9.48	12.88
San Miguel	Las Vegas 1 ENE	6470	31	05-16	10-05	139	52	15.76	27.79
Sandoval	Cuba	7045	36	06-09	09-21	105	47	12.87	14.86
Santa Fe	Santa Fe	7200	89	05-08	10-14	158	106	13.78	13.00
Sierra	Elephant Butte Dam	4576	36	03-29	11-10	227	77	8.88	11.79
Socorro	Socorro	4585	53	04-17	10-23	185	54	8.77	11.39
Taos	Taos	6967	33	05-22	09-29	127	54	11.93	16.93
Torrance	Estancia	6107	37	05-22	09-30	131	48	11.56	19.57
Union	Clayton 2/	4970	72	05-01	10-15	164	79	14.80	4/
Valencia	Los Lunas 3 SSW	4840	26	05-08	10-16	161	28	8.17	11.53

1/ National Weather Service Forecast Office - International Airport.
 2/ National Weather Service Office.
 3/ Station is officially known as "State University".
 4/ Insufficient data available to compute.

SOURCE: Office of State Climatologist, New Mexico Department of Agriculture

Fertilizer: 1985 Inshipments

Materials	First Quarter	Second Quarter	Third Quarter	Fourth Quarter	Total 1985
-----Tons-----					
NITROGEN MATERIALS:					
Anhydrous Ammonia	4003.4	8710.9	5323.3	1965.2	20002.8
Ammonium Nitrate	5280.6	3759.8	3571.4	2544.3	15156.1
Ammonium Sulphate	2808.9	3844.8	954.9	458.3	8066.9
Nitrogen Solutions	3628.9	13562.5	5248.4	1302.7	23742.5
Urea Compounds	2833.1	5960.2	2488.5	1317.8	12599.6
Primarily N Mixtures	1782.4	2608.4	1461.3	475.8	6327.9
PHOSPHATE MATERIALS:					
Superphosphate (45% & 46%) Primarily P ₂ O ₅ Mixtures	2198.0	1275.0	52.1	210.2	3735.3
	11603.1	7918.0	3411.6	3691.8	26624.5
POTASH MATERIALS:					
Muriate of Potash	2738.8	2048.4	180.2	1459.1	6426.5
Sulphate of Potash	758.7	112.7	88.1	242.5	1202.0
Sulphate of Potash Magnesia	2392.6	673.8	809.7	768.7	4644.8
Primarily K ₂ O Mixtures	---	90.0	90.4	59.6	240.0
OTHER MIXTURES	819.8	433.0	339.5	223.6	1815.9
ANIMAL MANURE	1210.3	994.0	787.0	62.7	3054.0
CUSTOM BLENDS	1739.8	1373.2	2276.4	741.9	6131.3
SOIL CONDITIONERS	443.7	332.0	225.5	48.6	1049.8
MISCELLANEOUS	543.4	163.6	63.4	368.1	1138.5
TOTAL	44785.5	53860.3	27371.7	15940.9	141958.4

SOURCE: Feed, Seed and Fertilizer Bureau, New Mexico Department of Agriculture

Commercial Feed: 1985 Sales

Kind of Feed	Jan. - June		July - Dec.		Totals for 1985		All Feed 1985
	Sacked	Bulk	Sacked	Bulk	Sacked	Bulk	
-----Tons-----							
ALFALFA PRODUCTS	12022	2041	8707	7324	20729	9365	30094
ANIMAL BY-PRODUCTS	2	3761	82	3815	84	7576	7660
BARLEY PRODUCTS	596	551	1026	1030	1622	1581	3203
CORN PRODUCTS	1663	9399	1714	7734	3377	17133	20510
COTTONSEED PRODUCTS	5112	14114	4489	23470	9601	37584	47185
GRAIN SORGHUM PRODUCTS	1846	17775	2420	10502	4266	28277	32543
MOLASSES	126	27881	69	23411	195	51292	51487
MOLASSES-UREA FEED	0	5052	0	2213	0	7265	7265
OAT PRODUCTS	1073	40	1039	147	2112	187	2299
WHEAT PRODUCTS	918	2638	1003	3171	1921	5809	7730
CATTLE FEEDS	20107	32446	15244	30112	35351	62558	97909
DAIRY FEEDS	5670	7598	4867	6541	10537	14139	24676
HORSE FEEDS	10457	95	6926	1309	17383	1404	18787
SWINE FEEDS	1995	86	1945	200	3940	286	4226
MINERAL FEEDS	4116	1999	4382	1375	8498	3374	11872
POULTRY FEEDS	5673	628	6152	676	11825	1304	13129
RABBIT FEEDS	1100	0	963	0	2063	0	2063
TURKEY FEEDS	40	0	116	0	156	0	156
SHEEP FEEDS	523	4	650	35	1173	39	1212
PET FOODS	9937	81	9059	113	18996	194	19190
OTHER MIXED FEEDS	4	0	19	1910	23	1910	1933
CUSTOM MIXED FEEDS	1957	6049	2087	6821	4044	12870	16914
RICE MILL BY-PRODUCTS	0	1038	0	1413	0	2451	2451
SOFT ROCK PHOSPHATE	324	1216	300	1321	624	2537	3161
SOYBEAN PRODUCTS	153	1761	131	2286	284	4047	4331
UREA FEED PRODUCTS	84	3697	79	1306	163	5003	5166
DISTILLERS BY-PRODUCTS	403	5416	453	5098	856	10514	11370
MISCELLANEOUS	174	57	319	13	493	70	563
TOTAL TONNAGE	86075	145423	74241	143346	160316	288769	449085

SOURCE: Feed, Seed and Fertilizer Bureau, New Mexico Department of Agriculture

PRICES AND INCOME

ASSETS AND DEBTS - New Mexico farm and ranch assets totaled \$9,116.0 million for the year ending December 31, 1984. This level represents an 8.7 percent decline from assets one year earlier, and a 7.3 percent drop from assets in 1982. Real estate accounted for 81.9 percent of all assets, as compared to 83.5 percent a year earlier. Farm and ranch debt in New Mexico totaled \$1,387.6 million during the year ending December 31, 1984, 1.5 percent lower than debt in 1983, and 2.9 percent lower than two years earlier. Real estate debt accounted for 56.9 percent of total debt, compared to 57.1 percent one year earlier.

CASH RECEIPTS - The 1985 cash receipts from farm marketings in New Mexico totaled 1,068 million dollars, up 7 percent from cash receipts in 1984. Livestock and livestock products accounted for 67.2 percent of the total and were valued at 717.5 million dollars. Crops, valued at 350.8 million dollars, represented 32.8 percent of cash receipts. Cattle and calves continued to dominate all other commodities, accounting for 49.2 percent of all cash receipts. Wholesale milk was second with 12.8 percent, while hay remained third with 6.1 percent of the total. Wheat and chile ranked fourth and fifth, representing 5.7 and 3.2 percent, respectively. Sales from these five commodities made up 77.0 percent of all cash receipts in New Mexico farm and ranch marketings during 1985.

FARM INCOME CONCEPTS - Cash receipts from farm marketings represent gross income from the sales of crops, livestock and poultry during the calendar year. The value of home consumption of farm products, inter-farm sales of livestock, and crops fed on farms where grown are not included in cash receipts. Production expenses such as feed, fuel, and fertilizer, and marketing costs are not subtracted from gross cash receipts. County estimates of cash receipts reflect farm productivity of the county to which the income is assigned. For example, income from crops is credited to the producing county even though the crops may be stored, processed, and marketed in another county. Cash receipts from marketings of crops is the final product of several estimates: acreage, yield, percentage of total production sold, average price, and changes in inventories. Marketings of livestock and poultry include the sales value of an animal only once, usually at the time when the animal is sold for slaughter or at final disposition.

Gross farm income includes four principal components: cash receipts from farm marketings, government payments, other farm income, and non-money income. Cash receipts represent gross receipts from commercial market sales as well as loans made or guaranteed by the CCC and other purchases under price support programs. Government payments to farmers are those payments made directly to farm producers in connection with farm programs. Other farm income is cash income from such sources as recreation, machine hire, and custom work. Non-money income includes the rental value of housing provided by farm dwellings and the value of farm products consumed directly in farm households.

Farm production expenses include current farm operating expenses for such items as wages paid to hired farm workers, outlays for repairs of farm equipment and operation of the farm, as well as purchases of oil, feed, and livestock. Overhead-type costs include charges for depreciation and other capital consumption, taxes on farm property, and interest.

Net change in farm inventories is the estimated physical change in livestock and crops owned by farmers, valued at average prices prevailing during the year.

Balance Sheet of the Farming Sector^{1/}

Item	1982	1983	1984 2/
		<u>Number</u>	
Farms	14,000	14,000	14,000
ASSETS		<u>Million Dollars</u>	
Total Farm Assets	9,830.3	9,984.3	9,116.0
Real Estate	8,188.0	8,335.6	7,465.4
Livestock and Poultry	528.5	532.0	529.2
Machinery and Motor Vehicles	494.3	489.9	460.1
Crops 3/	126.1	93.0	91.7
Household Equip. and Furnishings	184.1	201.0	217.6
Deposits and Currency	114.1	121.4	132.1
U.S. Savings Bonds	8.8	9.2	9.3
Investments in Cooperatives	186.4	202.3	210.5
CLAIMS			
Total Farm Debt	1,429.1	1,409.0	1,387.6
Real Estate Debt	804.0	804.9	789.3
Nonreal Estate Debt 4/	560.1	561.2	567.3
CCC Loans 5/	65.0	43.0	31.0
Equity	8,401.2	8,575.3	7,728.4
RATIOS		<u>Ratios</u>	
Equity/Assets	85.5	85.9	84.8
Debt/Equity	17.0	16.4	18.0
Debt/Assets, Total	14.5	14.1	15.2
Debt/Assets, Real Estate	9.8	9.7	10.6
Debt/Assets, Nonreal Estate and CCC	38.1	36.6	36.2
Net Farm Income/Debt 6/	8.5	7.4	10.4

1/ Data as of December 31, 1982-84. Data are for farms with sales of \$1,000 or more annually and includes farm households. Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ All crops held on farms including crops under CCC and crops held off farms by farm operators.

4/ Includes debt owed to institutional lenders and to noninstitutional or miscellaneous lenders.

5/ Nonrecourse CCC loans secured by crops owned by farmers. These crops are included as assets.

6/ Total debt in this ratio is an average for the year.

SOURCE: USDA, Economic Research Service Publication, ECIFS 4-5, March, 1986.

Net Income From Farming^{1/}

Year	Realized Gross Farm Income				Total	Farm Production Expenses	Net Farm Income Before Inventory Adjust- ment 3/	Net Change In Farm Inventories	Net Farm Income After Inventory Adjust- ment 3/
	Cash Receipts From Farm Marketings	Government Payments	Non- Money Income	Other Farm Income 2/					
-----Million Dollars-----									
1955	163.7	2.1	16.5	.3	182.6	148.4	34.2	14.4	48.6
1956	199.4	5.7	14.5	.4	220.0	147.1	72.9	-23.1	49.7
1957	191.9	15.0	13.0	.6	220.4	152.3	68.1	-.3	67.8
1958	229.3	13.3	13.8	1.0	257.4	184.1	73.3	23.1	96.4
1959	259.2	14.9	12.6	1.2	287.8	195.5	92.3	-6.4	85.9
1960	231.9	11.2	12.8	1.2	257.2	187.7	69.4	.3	69.7
1961	244.6	14.1	14.8	1.2	274.7	208.9	65.8	18.0	83.9
1962	275.2	15.0	15.7	1.3	307.2	225.5	81.6	-7.6	74.0
1963	279.1	15.5	17.2	1.5	313.4	248.3	65.1	6.1	71.2
1964	237.2	18.7	17.6	1.9	275.4	220.8	54.5	-8.0	46.6
1965	262.2	22.3	18.3	2.3	305.1	256.4	48.7	7.7	56.4
1966	313.0	37.5	20.3	2.6	373.4	294.8	78.6	6.2	84.8
1967	336.2	33.3	21.5	3.1	394.1	331.4	62.6	8.5	71.1
1968	344.8	36.0	22.2	3.5	406.4	333.9	72.5	10.5	83.0
1969	397.4	41.6	28.7	3.9	471.6	386.8	84.8	6.4	91.2
1970	452.7	43.1	26.2	3.8	525.8	407.8	118.0	-3.0	115.0
1971	478.3	34.1	29.6	4.2	546.1	425.8	120.3	-3.2	117.1
1972	587.8	42.5	31.1	4.2	665.6	546.9	118.7	13.5	132.2
1973	843.6	29.4	35.5	4.9	913.5	709.1	204.3	-6.6	197.7
1974	588.0	13.3	47.5	5.9	654.8	549.1	105.7	34.3	140.0
1975 4/	726.2	11.3	49.6	7.8	795.0	596.2	198.8	-19.2	179.6
1976	698.3	15.5	53.0	9.0	775.8	643.9	131.9	-30.2	101.7
1977	791.8	15.1	62.7	12.1	881.7	771.9	109.8	19.0	128.8
1978	969.1	29.2	70.5	13.8	1082.5	862.9	219.6	-9.7	210.0
1979	1125.0	21.3	81.0	10.6	1237.9	1047.8	190.1	58.7	248.7
1980	1185.7	20.9	106.5	11.2	1324.3	1011.2	313.1	-93.1	220.0
1981	894.8	26.0	112.6	12.5	1045.9	956.7	89.2	49.4	138.6
1982	946.1	31.9	112.8	14.1	1104.9	972.0	132.9	-15.4	117.5
1983	964.6	57.5	98.6	13.8	1134.5	992.8	141.7	-35.2	106.5
1984	997.9	49.2	99.4	17.0	1163.5	1053.8	109.7	45.1	154.8

1/ Details may not add to totals due to rounding.

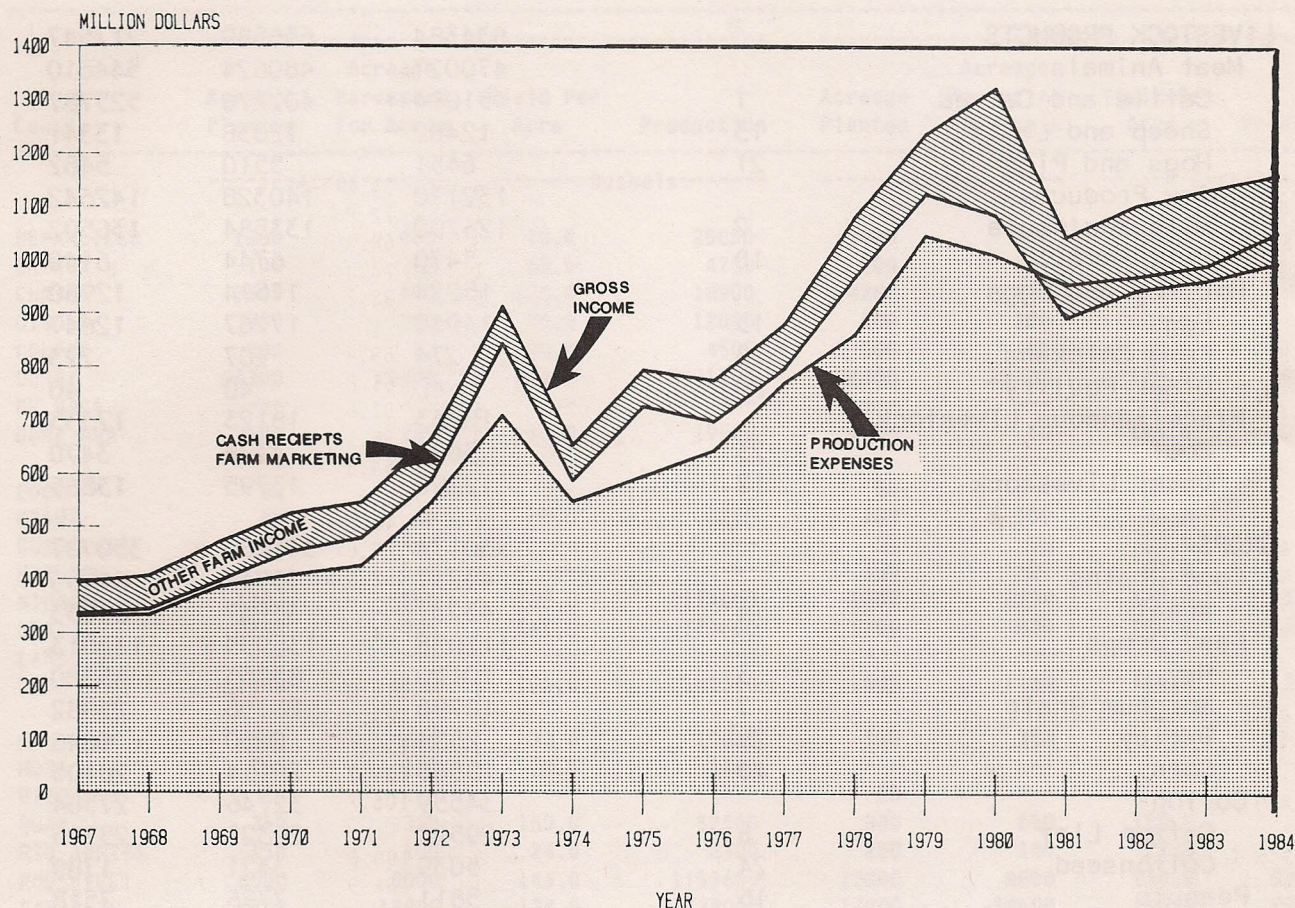
2/ Beginning with 1978, other farm income includes forest product sales and cash receipts from farm marketings excludes forest product sales.

3/ For farm operators only.

4/ Beginning with 1975, based on the 1974 Census of Agriculture definition of a farm, which is a farm with sales of \$1,000 or more.

SOURCE: USDA, Economic Research Service Publication, ECIFS 4-5, March, 1986.

New Mexico Farm and Ranch Income and Expenses 1967-1984



INCOME - Gross income on New Mexico farms and ranches for 1984 was \$1.16 billion, an increase of 3 percent from 1983 but was 9 percent below the 1980 record of \$1.32 billion. Cash receipts from farm marketings were \$997.9 million, up 3 percent from 1983. The other items contributing to gross income were: government payments at \$49.2 million, down 14 percent; non-money income at \$99.4 million, up 1 percent; and, other farm income at \$17.0 million, up 23 percent. Cash receipts from marketings represented 86 percent of total gross farm income for 1984. Net farm income before inventory adjustment, the difference between gross income and production expenses, at \$109.7 million, was down 23 percent from 1983. Total net farm income, which is income after adjustment for inventory changes, at \$154.8 million was up 45 percent from 1983.

PRODUCTION EXPENSES - Farms and ranches in the State had \$1.05 billion in expenses for producing their crops and livestock 1984, an increase of \$61 million over 1983. This was the fourth consecutive year that production expenses exceeded cash receipts from marketings.

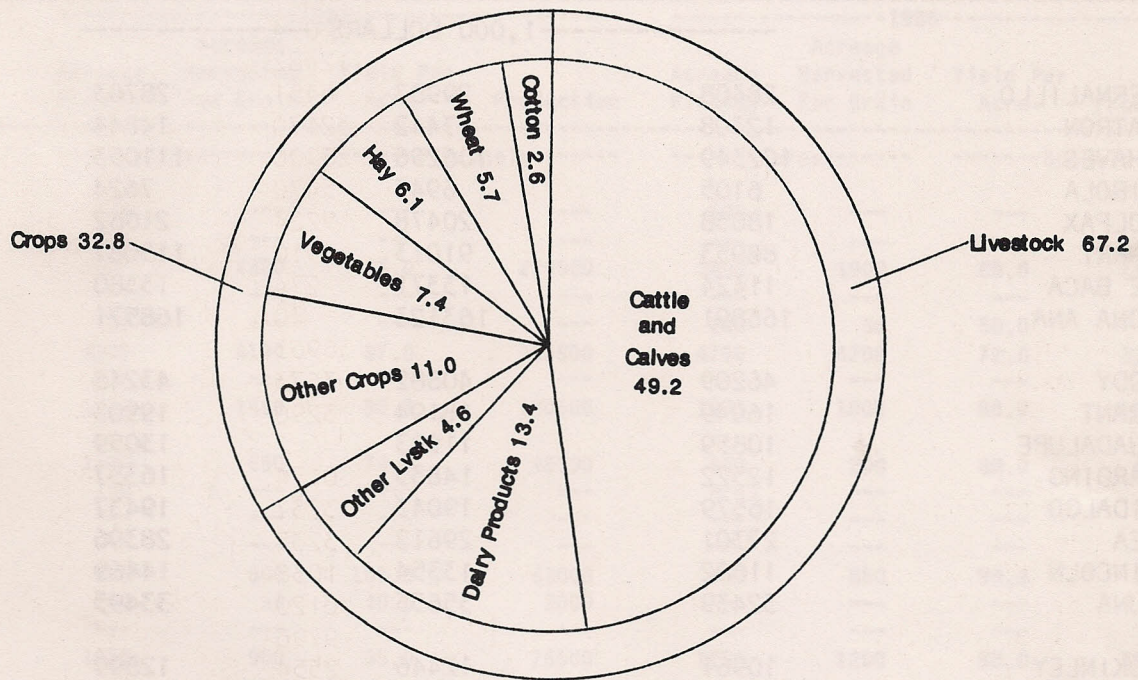
Cash Receipts by Commodity and Group

Commodity	1985 Rank	1983	1984	1985 1/
-----1000 Dollars-----				
ALL COMMODITIES		964558	997869	1068334
LIVESTOCK PRODUCTS		634384	656589	717547
Meat Animals		470027	480624	544610
Cattle and Calves	1	451094	462276	525787
Sheep and Lambs	13	12482	12838	13341
Hogs and Pigs	21	6451	5510	5482
Dairy Products		132170	140328	142642
Milk Wholesale	2	126700	133584	136502
Milk Retail	18	5470	6744	6140
Poultry and Eggs		15224	17514	12960
Eggs	15	14910	17267	12647
Farm Chickens	28	274	207	273
Other Poultry	29	40	40	40
Miscellaneous Livestock		16963	18123	17335
Wool	23	3673	4328	3470
Other Livestock	12	13290	13795	13865
CROPS		330174	341280	350787
Food Grains		43237	36947	61053
Wheat	4	43237	36947	61053
Feed Crops		111038	136905	113013
Hay	3	70120	85753	65380
Sorghum Grain	7	19796	28758	25882
Barley	25	2554	2280	1646
Corn	10	18568	20114	20105
Cotton		34559	32746	27584
Cotton Lint	8	29520	29325	25795
Cottonseed	24	5039	3421	1789
Peanuts	16	5811	7726	7518
Vegetables		79976	71880	78932
Onions	11	11107	16107	19458
Lettuce	19	22376	5398	5773
Potatoes	14	10292	17809	13340
Chile	5	33275	29920	33638
Miscellaneous Vegetables	17	2926	2646	6723
Fruit and Nuts		22053	21576	25087
Pecans	9	21097	19837	22792
Apples	26	706	1207	1193
Other Fruit and Nuts	27	250	532	1102
All Other Crops		33500	33500	37600
Greenhouse Nursery	6	26000	27000	27000
Forest Products	22	2500	2500	5000
Other Field Crops	20	5000	4000	5600

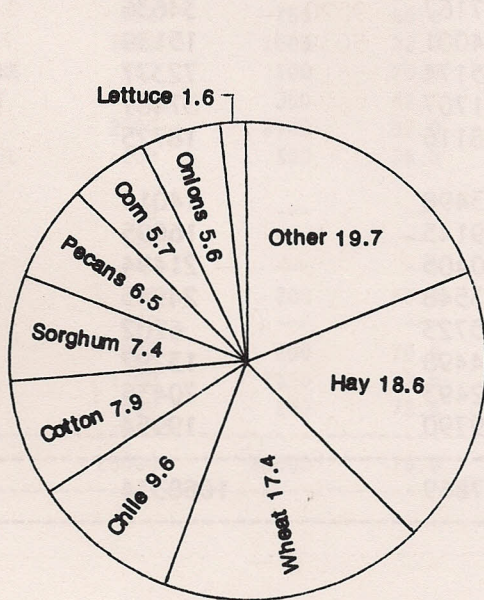
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SOURCE: USDA-ERS, Economic Indicators of the Farm Sector.

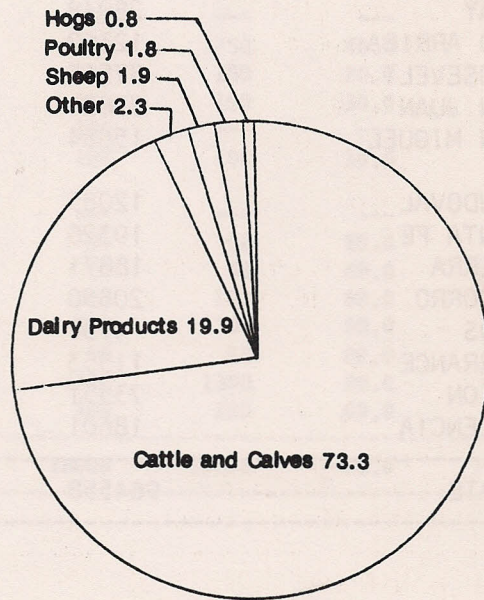
New Mexico Cash Receipts, 1985



ALL COMMODITIES



CROPS



LIVESTOCK

Com: Acreage, Production, and Value

Cash Receipts: All Farm Commodities

COUNTY	ALL FARM COMMODITIES			1985 Rank in State
	1983	1984	1985	
-----1,000 DOLLARS-----				
BERNALILLO	28408	29987	28703	10
CATRON	12308	13442	14844	22
CHAVES	102349	106296	111053	3
CIBOLA	6105	6943	7624	31
COLFAX	18038	20478	21062	14
CURRY	88953	91013	115087	2
DE BACA	11424	13371	13380	25
DONA ANA	166891	163123	168571	1
EDDY	46209	40882	43246	6
GRANT	16049	18194	19903	16
GUADALUPE	10859	11983	13059	27
HARDING	12522	14833	16357	19
HIDALGO	16579	19043	19437	17
LEA	27301	29612	28396	11
LINCOLN	11602	13354	14469	23
LUNA	32439	35655	33495	9
MCKINLEY	10961	12446	12899	29
MORA	7732	9290	8911	30
OTERO	10975	12659	13049	28
QUAY	28048	27167	34636	8
RIO ARRIBA	12362	14001	15139	21
ROOSEVELT	57565	65174	72377	4
SAN JUAN	33621	31707	37481	7
SAN MIGUEL	15684	18116	18725	18
SANDOVAL	12085	13498	14014	24
SANTA FE	19326	19145	16095	20
SIERRA	18871	20405	21494	13
SOCORRO	20850	23548	24945	12
TAOS	4737	5723	6202	32
TORRANCE	11553	14498	13292	26
UNION	73551	62493	70435	5
VALENCIA	18601	19790	19954	15
STATE	964558	997869	1068334	

Cash Receipts: All Livestock, All Crops

COUNTY	-----All Livestock-----			-----All Crops-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	22628	23857	22459	5780	6130	6244
CATRON	11639	12747	13594	669	695	1250
CHAVES	74003	75370	87241	28346	30926	23812
CIBOLA	5750	6353	7009	355	590	615
COLFAX	16106	18542	19353	1932	1936	1709
CURRY	51670	44770	61433	37283	46243	53654
DE BACA	9803	11470	11798	1621	1901	1582
DONA ANA	66867	76879	79447	100024	86244	89124
EDDY	25451	23504	29537	20758	17378	13709
GRANT	15467	17643	18724	582	551	1179
GUADALUPE	10424	11505	12471	435	478	588
HARDING	11835	13871	15441	687	962	916
HIDALGO	12913	14452	15376	3666	4591	4061
LEA	20842	21668	21236	6459	7944	7160
LINCOLN	11164	12839	13846	438	515	623
LUNA	17750	19426	15977	14689	16229	17518
MCKINLEY	10624	12060	12597	337	386	302
MORA	6951	8103	7981	781	1187	930
OTERO	8642	10103	10237	2333	2556	2812
QUAY	15924	17087	21126	12124	10080	13510
RIO ARRIBA	9657	10926	11885	2705	3075	3254
ROOSEVELT	30618	32410	32201	26947	32764	40176
SAN JUAN	14179	13547	17614	19442	18160	19867
SAN MIGUEL	14643	16789	17435	1041	1327	1290
SANDOVAL	8136	9008	9549	3949	4490	4465
SANTA FE	14422	13218	11115	4904	5927	4980
SIERRA	12150	13828	14687	6721	6577	6807
SOCORRO	16476	18083	19531	4374	5465	5414
TAOS	2870	3302	3473	1867	2421	2729
TORRANCE	7246	7346	8179	4307	7152	5113
UNION	64254	52009	60286	9297	10484	10149
VALENCIA	13280	13874	14709	5321	5916	5245
STATE	634384	656589	717547	330174	341280	350787

Cash Receipts: Cattle and Calves, Milk

COUNTY	---Cattle and Calves---			-----Milk-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	6782	7090	7585	10232	10147	9859
CATRON	11306	12409	13274	107	108	105
CHAVES	45504	43882	53811	23023	25907	27689
CIBOLA	4774	5318	6005	107	108	105
COLFAX	15578	18022	18964	213	216	105
CURRY	47426	40493	57324	3411	3454	3356
DE BACA	8543	10045	10904	533	648	210
DONA ANA	11558	13886	15803	44767	51382	54539
EDDY	22705	20731	27845	1279	1295	420
GRANT	15075	17136	18331	107	216	105
GUADALUPE	9045	10045	11062	107	108	105
HARDING	11558	13591	15171	107	108	105
HIDALGO	11306	13042	13907	107	108	105
LEA	13819	16765	16435	6182	4102	3985
LINCOLN	8291	9750	11062	213	216	105
LUNA	15201	17007	13907	746	863	629
MCKINLEY	6533	7682	8218	107	108	105
MORA	6533	7682	7585	107	108	105
OTERO	7035	8273	8218	107	108	105
QUAY	14844	16072	20156	426	432	420
RIO ARRIBA	8543	9750	10746	107	108	105
ROOSEVELT	13315	14774	15487	15988	16407	15732
SAN JUAN	8744	8468	12762	2558	2159	1888
SAN MIGUEL	13819	15954	16751	213	216	105
SANDOVAL	4523	5318	5689	3197	3238	3356
SANTA FE	13710	12381	10503	320	432	210
SIERRA	8040	9454	10430	3837	4102	3985
SOCORRO	12060	13591	14539	4050	4102	4615
TAOS	2261	2659	2845	213	216	210
TORRANCE	6372	6500	7269	107	108	105
UNION	62773	50370	58774	852	863	839
VALENCIA	3518	4136	4425	8740	8635	9230
STATE	451094	462276	525787	132170	140328	142642

Cash Receipts: Sheep and Poultry

COUNTY	-----Sheep 1/-----			-----Poultry-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
	-----1000 Dollars-----					
BERNALILLO	79	87	63	4585	5550	3969
CATRON	13	15	3	5	6	4
CHAVES	4370	4518	4649	49	58	44
CIBOLA	477	525	500	10	12	9
COLFAX	53	58	31	25	29	22
CURRY	159	145	94	29	41	26
DE BACA	450	495	406	10	12	9
DONA ANA	37	41	50	9367	10497	7933
EDDY	848	845	688	128	152	88
GRANT	3	3	6	20	23	18
GUADALUPE	1060	1137	1094	15	17	13
HARDING	21	23	25	15	17	9
HIDALGO	13	9	3	10	17	9
LEA	265	262	300	74	76	53
LINCOLN	2330	2536	2344	5	6	4
LUNA	3	9	3	10	12	9
MCKINLEY	2570	2798	2813	20	23	9
MORA	61	58	47	20	23	13
OTERO	450	437	484	24	29	22
QUAY	111	117	94	20	23	18
RIO ARRIBA	265	291	250	29	35	44
ROOSEVELT	159	175	156	444	536	406
SAN JUAN	1324	1370	1406	49	47	35
SAN MIGUEL	26	58	47	79	64	35
SANDOVAL	132	175	234	15	17	13
SANTA FE	53	58	31	20	23	18
SIERRA	5	6	6	10	12	13
SOCORRO	143	157	156	20	29	18
TAOS	172	204	203	24	29	22
TORRANCE	318	350	422	20	23	18
UNION	26	29	47	34	41	31
VALENCIA	159	175	156	39	35	26
STATE	16155	17166	16811	15224	17514	12960

1/ Includes wool.

Cash Receipts: Hogs and Other Livestock

COUNTY	Hogs			Other Livestock		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	64	63	58	886	920	925
CATRON	22	16	14	186	193	194
CHAVES	301	220	259	756	785	789
CIBOLA	22	16	14	360	374	376
COLFAX	43	16	29	194	201	202
CURRY	107	79	72	538	558	561
DE BACA	22	16	14	245	254	255
DONA ANA	408	315	360	730	758	762
EDDY	43	16	29	448	465	467
GRANT	22	16	14	240	249	250
GUADALUPE	22	16	14	175	182	183
HARDING	22	16	14	112	116	117
HIDALGO	1355	1149	1224	122	127	128
LEA	86	31	29	416	432	434
LINCOLN	22	16	14	303	315	317
LUNA	1676	1417	1310	114	118	119
MCKINLEY	43	47	43	1351	1402	1409
MORA	22	16	14	208	216	217
OTERO	408	614	763	618	642	645
QUAY	172	79	72	351	364	366
RIO ARRIBA	43	47	43	670	695	697
ROOSEVELT	516	315	216	196	203	204
SAN JUAN	86	31	43	1418	1472	1480
SAN MIGUEL	43	16	14	463	481	483
SANDOVAL	64	47	43	205	213	214
SANTA FE	22	16	43	297	308	310
SIERRA	43	31	29	215	223	224
SOCORRO	22	16	14	181	188	189
TAOS	43	31	29	157	163	164
TORRANCE	107	31	29	322	334	336
UNION	344	472	360	225	234	235
VALENCIA	236	283	259	588	610	613
STATE	6451	5510	5482	13290	13795	13865

Cash Receipts: Wheat and Hay

COUNTY	-----Wheat-----			-----Hay-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
	-----1000 Dollars-----					
BERNALILLO	12	2	9	831	1170	897
CATRON	---	---	---	55	75	36
CHAVES	939	834	589	16421	20389	14205
CIBOLA	2	---	100	190	415	273
COLFAX	126	72	123	1687	1781	1421
CURRY	17335	15953	27949	1612	2472	1826
DE BACA	235	278	185	1266	1470	1261
DONA ANA	594	791	419	5270	7088	5814
EDDY	206	170	97	11572	11993	8815
GRANT	---	---	21	140	179	169
GUADALUPE	51	26	210	240	340	241
HARDING	374	342	496	150	259	191
HIDALGO	165	259	155	245	392	250
LEA	1146	1275	1511	2167	3060	2131
LINCOLN	---	---	---	190	202	209
LUNA	260	356	156	746	645	446
MCKINLEY	---	3	1	115	161	109
MORA	---	---	---	651	1055	838
OTERO	13	8	43	1031	1055	1143
QUAY	7642	4205	7870	1977	2155	1735
RIO ARRIBA	99	100	104	1251	1556	974
ROOSEVELT	9829	6003	13692	1502	1925	1525
SAN JUAN	863	1903	2706	6456	6812	6156
SAN MIGUEL	---	12	9	741	1055	792
SANDOVAL	5	6	3	706	1199	851
SANTA FE	108	143	318	1186	1884	1134
SIERRA	111	106	24	1016	1279	729
SOCORRO	---	10	27	2718	3590	3010
TAOS	39	---	30	1251	1994	1516
TORRANCE	354	615	482	1572	2363	2226
UNION	2700	3438	3691	1737	1873	1352
VALENCIA	29	37	33	3428	3867	3105
STATE	43237	36947	61053	70120	85753	65380

Cash Receipts: Sorghum and Corn

COUNTY	Sorghum			Corn		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	7	---	---	68	60	103
CATRON	---	---	---	---	9	---
CHAVES	447	303	458	133	40	22
CIBOLA	---	---	---	28	26	15
COLFAX	2	---	---	6	10	8
CURRY	7856	13069	10003	5018	8091	7753
DE BACA	10	81	64	---	---	---
DONA ANA	294	190	201	64	41	12
EDDY	310	101	91	48	---	---
GRANT	122	---	---	7	9	17
GUADALUPE	9	---	---	16	---	8
HARDING	122	286	174	---	---	19
HIDALGO	599	450	469	125	243	275
LEA	379	722	731	645	272	244
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	1062	1309	1054	466	386	351
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	14	42	6
MORA	---	---	---	3	5	---
OTERO	2	---	---	2	---	---
QUAY	2159	2916	3014	40	112	195
RIO ARRIBA	---	---	---	6	5	6
ROOSEVELT	4172	7707	8304	1778	2468	2835
SAN JUAN	---	---	---	5607	3678	3492
SAN MIGUEL	---	8	---	6	12	14
SANDOVAL	---	---	---	85	10	5
SANTA FE	---	---	---	910	389	239
SIERRA	19	9	---	66	124	13
SOCORRO	42	25	19	587	585	778
TAOS	---	---	---	1	---	---
TORRANCE	11	---	---	685	788	474
UNION	2134	1571	1300	2110	2656	3176
VALENCIA	38	11	---	44	53	45
STATE	19796	28758	25882	18568	20114	20105

Cash Receipts: Barley and Cotton

COUNTY	Barley			Cotton		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	9	---	---	---	---	---
CATRON	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	379	425	179	5630	4244	3927
CIBOLA	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLFAX	1	---	4	---	---	---
CURRY	463	542	530	348	607	456
DE BACA	15	---	---	---	---	---
DONA ANA	126	198	254	12355	11560	10526
EDDY	526	73	25	4187	3863	3115
GRANT	12	---	---	---	---	---
GUADALUPE	---	---	---	---	---	---
HARDING	---	---	---	---	---	---
HIDALGO	52	96	132	2188	2547	2088
LEA	3	3	---	1464	1366	1116
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	125	116	160	6338	6376	4981
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	---	---	---
MORA	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	---	57	---	144	109	121
QUAY	20	78	110	124	288	256
RIO ARRIBA	---	3	8	---	---	---
ROOSEVELT	59	22	7	1701	1709	931
SAN JUAN	448	428	---	---	---	---
SAN MIGUEL	---	6	6	---	---	---
SANDOVAL	---	---	---	---	---	---
SANTA FE	---	---	4	---	---	---
SIERRA	---	---	5	80	77	67
SOCORRO	32	20	11	---	---	---
TAOS	106	---	23	---	---	---
TORRANCE	40	21	6	---	---	---
UNION	109	170	163	---	---	---
VALENCIA	29	22	19	---	---	---
STATE	2554	2280	1646	34559	32746	27584

Cash Receipts: Chile and Vegetables

COUNTY	-----Chile-----			-----Vegetables-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	1257	1144	1220	152	141	367
CATRON	---	---	---	---	5	---
CHAVES	1354	1760	1307	214	301	73
CIBOLA	---	35	35	37	9	6
COLFAX	---	---	---	25	24	61
CURRY	---	---	---	3978	4611	4366
DE BACA	---	---	---	25	7	12
DONA ANA	15866	14607	14467	32034	18637	21861
EDDY	3095	440	645	101	71	122
GRANT	---	53	174	10	7	31
GUADALUPE	97	88	87	13	12	31
HARDING	---	---	---	---	---	---
HIDALGO	135	229	418	86	326	177
LEA	---	---	---	55	5	12
LINCOLN	---	---	---	8	7	18
LUNA	4063	4664	7669	1076	1781	1749
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	8	7	31
MORA	---	---	---	69	85	24
OTERO	19	18	17	13	12	31
QUAY	19	---	17	50	160	61
RIO ARRIBA	484	440	436	229	235	654
ROOSEVELT	116	53	35	2365	6417	6167
SAN JUAN	48	35	35	3274	3094	4626
SAN MIGUEL	39	18	87	76	47	122
SANDOVAL	967	968	959	142	155	403
SANTA FE	242	176	192	229	1069	672
SIERRA	4604	4400	4706	573	330	872
SOCORRO	580	528	871	150	393	122
TAOS	---	---	---	203	193	757
TORRANCE	---	---	---	1287	2952	1408
UNION	---	---	---	104	609	126
VALENCIA	290	264	261	115	258	332
STATE	33275	29920	33638	46701	41960	45294

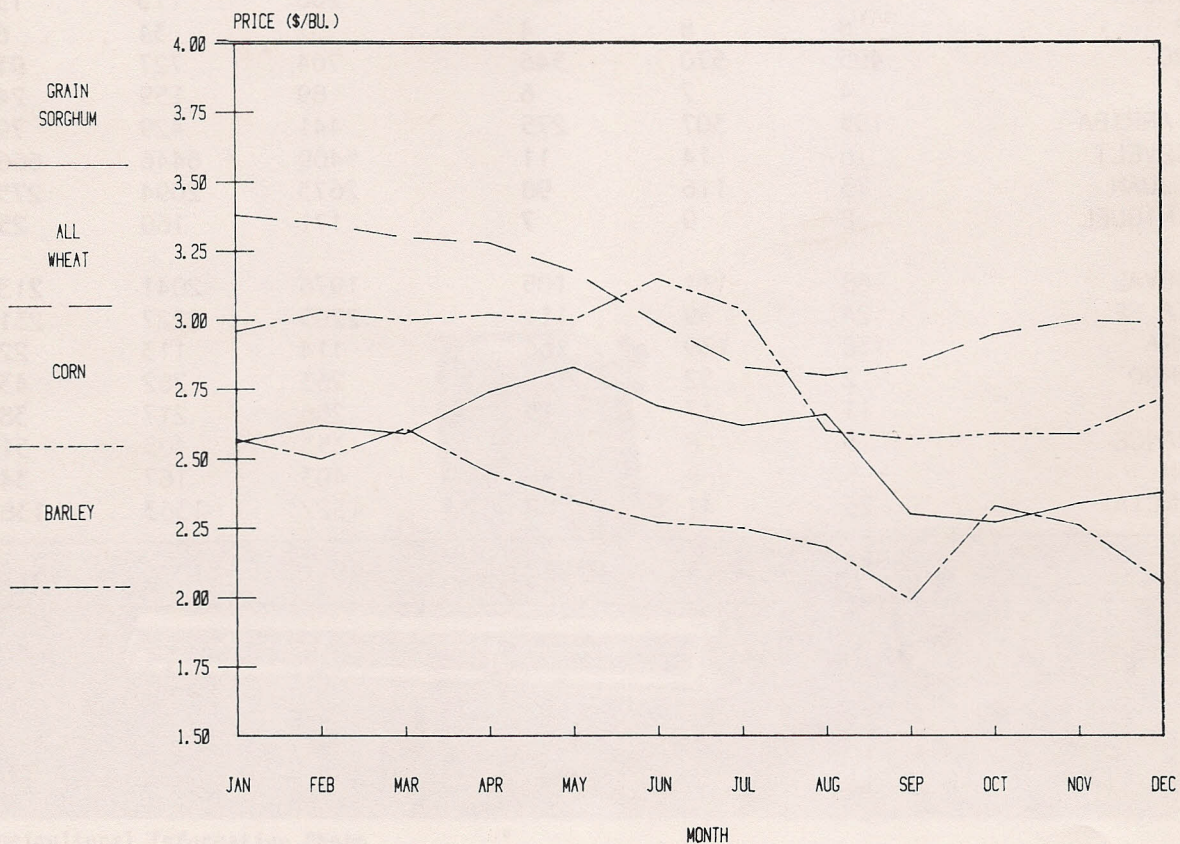
Cash Receipts: Fruits and Nuts, Other Crops

COUNTY	-----Fruits & Nuts-----			-----Other Crops-----		
	1983	1984	1985	1983	1984	1985
-----1000 Dollars-----						
BERNALILLO	63	109	110	3381	3504	3538
CATRON	---	---	---	614	606	1214
CHAVES	2625	2472	2808	204	158	244
CIBOLA	2	4	4	96	101	182
COLFAX	3	4	4	82	45	88
CURRY	1	1	1	672	897	770
DE BACA	7	11	11	63	54	49
DONA ANA	17029	16086	18472	16392	17046	17098
EDDY	553	521	596	160	146	203
GRANT	36	60	284	255	243	483
GUADALUPE	4	6	6	5	6	5
HARDING	---	---	---	41	75	36
HIDALGO	15	18	38	56	31	59
LEA	172	164	182	428	1077	1233
LINCOLN	128	195	176	112	111	220
LUNA	434	487	834	119	109	118
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	200	173	155
MORA	6	8	4	52	34	64
OTERO	405	570	546	704	727	911
QUAY	4	7	6	89	159	246
RIO ARRIBA	195	307	275	441	429	797
ROOSEVELT	16	14	11	5409	6446	6669
SAN JUAN	73	116	98	2673	2094	2754
SAN MIGUEL	8	9	7	171	160	253
SANDOVAL	68	111	105	1976	2041	2139
SANTA FE	24	39	111	2205	2227	2310
SIERRA	138	139	166	114	113	225
SOCORRO	2	52	142	263	262	434
TAOS	11	17	15	256	217	388
TORRANCE	5	8	7	353	405	510
UNION	---	---	---	403	167	341
VALENCIA	26	41	68	1322	1363	1382
STATE	22053	21576	25087	39311	41226	45118

Prices Received for Field Crops

YEAR AND MONTH		GRAIN SORGHUM \$/cwt.	ALL WHEAT \$/bu.	CORN \$/bu.	BARLEY \$/bu.	ALL HAY \$/ton	ALFALFA \$/ton	OTHER HAY \$/ton
1985	JANUARY	4.58	3.38	2.96	2.57	100.00	102.00	80.00
	FEBRUARY	4.68	3.35	3.03	2.50	103.00	105.00	80.00
	MARCH	4.62	3.30	3.00	2.61	103.00	105.00	80.00
	APRIL	4.90	3.28	3.02	2.45	98.00	100.00	75.00
	MAY	5.05	3.18	3.00	2.35	93.00	95.00	70.00
	JUNE	4.80	2.99	3.15	2.27	90.00	92.00	70.00
	JULY	4.67	2.83	3.04	2.25	83.00	85.00	65.00
	AUGUST	4.75	2.80	2.60	2.18	79.00	80.00	65.00
	SEPTEMBER	4.11	2.84	2.57	1.99	72.00	73.00	65.00
	OCTOBER	4.05	2.95	2.59	2.33	74.00	75.00	65.00
	NOVEMBER	4.17	3.00	2.59	2.26	77.00	78.00	65.00
	DECEMBER	4.25	2.99	2.72	2.05	77.00	78.00	65.00
1985		4.25	3.25	2.65	2.25	80.00	---	---
1984		4.68	3.36	2.97	2.78	99.00	---	---
1983		5.36	3.48	3.36	2.80	90.00	---	---
1982		4.86	3.62	2.91	2.40	75.00	---	---
1981		4.41	3.64	2.84	2.81	84.00	---	---

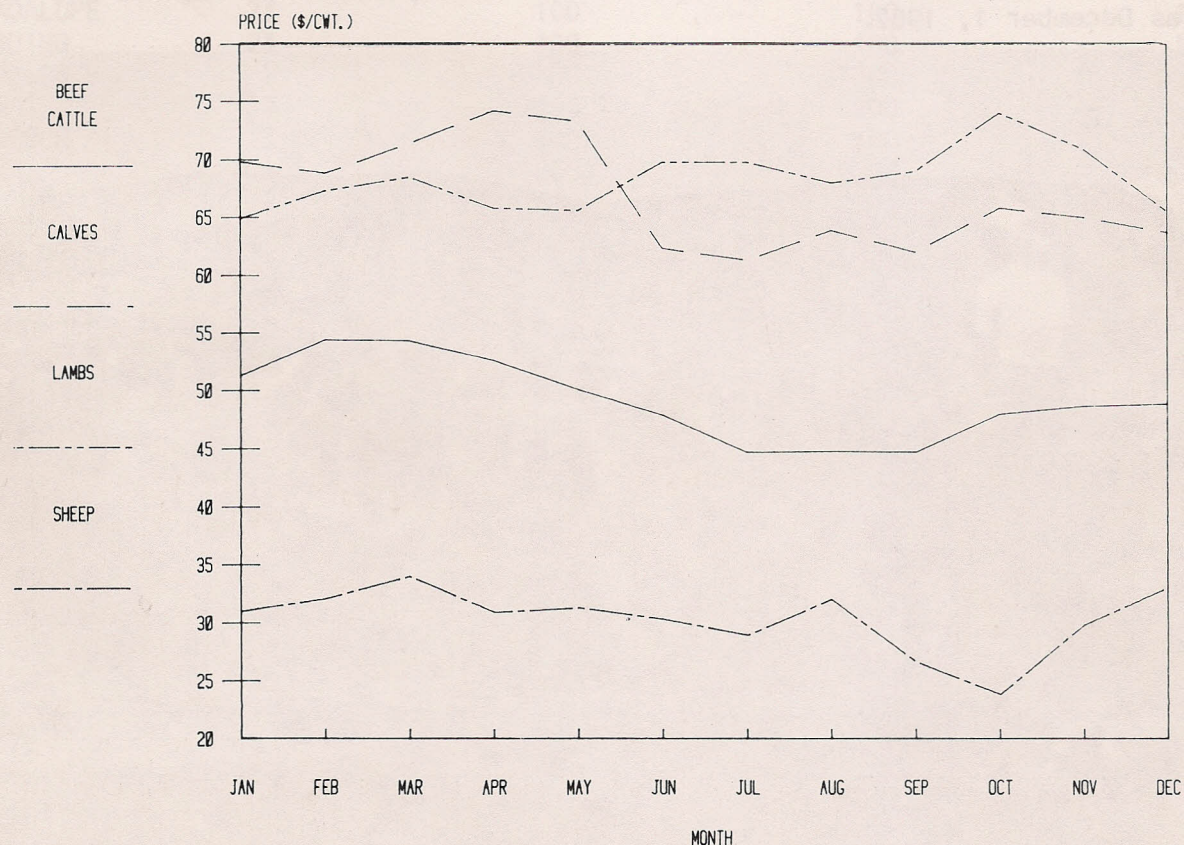
Grain Prices Received, 1985



Prices Received for Livestock

YEAR AND MONTH	BEEF CATTLE \$/cwt.	CALVES \$/cwt.	COWS \$/cwt.	STEERS & HEIFERS \$/cwt.	LAMBS \$/cwt.	SHEEP \$/cwt.
1985 JANUARY	51.30	69.80	37.80	64.70	64.90	31.00
FEBRUARY	54.40	68.80	42.00	62.80	67.30	32.10
MARCH	54.30	71.40	41.50	61.40	68.50	34.00
APRIL	52.60	74.20	40.00	60.20	65.80	30.90
MAY	50.10	73.30	39.60	58.50	65.60	31.30
JUNE	47.90	62.30	36.80	54.60	69.80	30.30
JULY	44.70	61.30	35.30	49.90	69.80	28.90
AUGUST	44.80	63.90	34.30	49.40	68.00	32.00
SEPTEMBER	44.70	62.00	33.60	50.00	69.00	26.60
OCTOBER	48.00	65.80	33.00	55.80	74.00	23.80
NOVEMBER	48.70	65.00	31.10	57.90	70.90	29.80
DECEMBER	48.90	63.70	34.70	57.80	65.50	33.00
1985	49.40	68.10	36.70	57.30	68.80	28.00
1984	46.00	63.10	37.20	56.70	56.80	21.10
1983	46.50	65.20	37.60	57.00	50.10	15.00
1982	46.80	62.60	36.60	57.50	48.60	18.20
1981	51.00	67.10	39.80	60.80	51.00	22.70

Livestock Prices Received, 1985



1985 NEW MEXICO AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS

LIVESTOCK

Unlike the previous year livestock producers approached 1985 optimistically although somewhat guardedly. Most ranges and pastures had adequate soil moisture supplies and tank water, however the 83-84 drought had reduced range forage supplies and some ranchers had doubts as to the ability of winter pastures to carry herds until spring. The winter of 84-85 saw above normal moisture in the form of rain and snow. The months of January, February and March were unseasonably mild resulting in below normal death losses.

Moisture during the spring continued above average bringing forth an abundance of spring feed. However, it also resulted in excessive growth of toxic weeds which caused more than normal death losses to livestock, especially to calves and lambs.

With livestock prices, except for cows and hogs, somewhat higher than recent years plus sufficient range feed and tank water, most livestock producers were optimistic for 1986.

At year's end, the number of cattle and calves on New Mexico's farms and ranches was estimated at 1,390,000 head, down 1 percent from January 1, 1985 and the same as January 1, 1984. This was in line with the reduction in the rest of the country which was down 4 percent. Beef cows and calves under 500 pounds were down 2 percent; bulls, down 1 percent; other heifers, down 4 percent; while replacement heifers, both for milk and beef, and steers remained unchanged. The 1985 calf crop at 535,000 head was 1 percent below 1984.

New Mexico's sheep industry ended 1985 with 525,000 head on hand, down 2 percent and the lowest January 1 inventory of record. The 1985 lamb crop estimated at 325,000 head was down 4 percent.

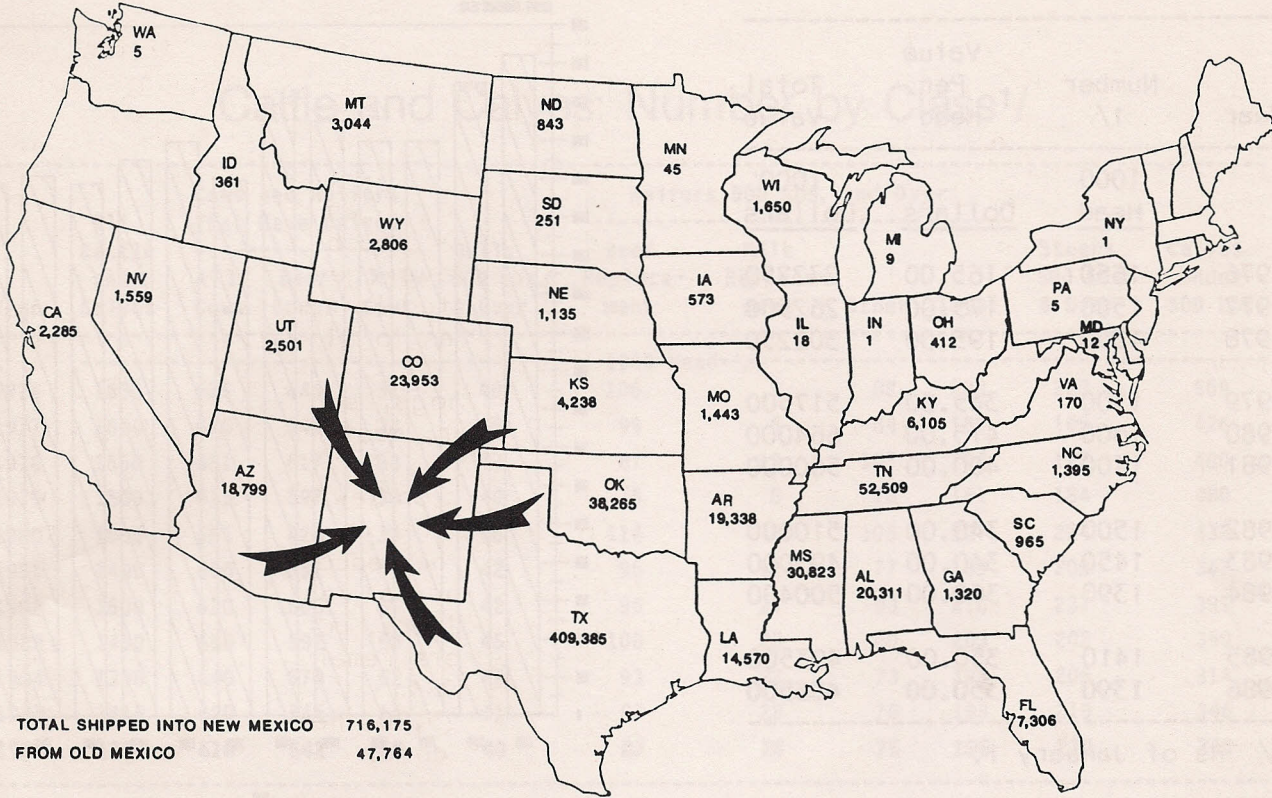
Hog and pig inventory on December 1, 1985 was estimated at 38,000 head, 9 percent more than on December 1, 1984. This was 27 percent above 1983 and the same as December 1, 1982.



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Cattle Number Shipped Into New Mexico

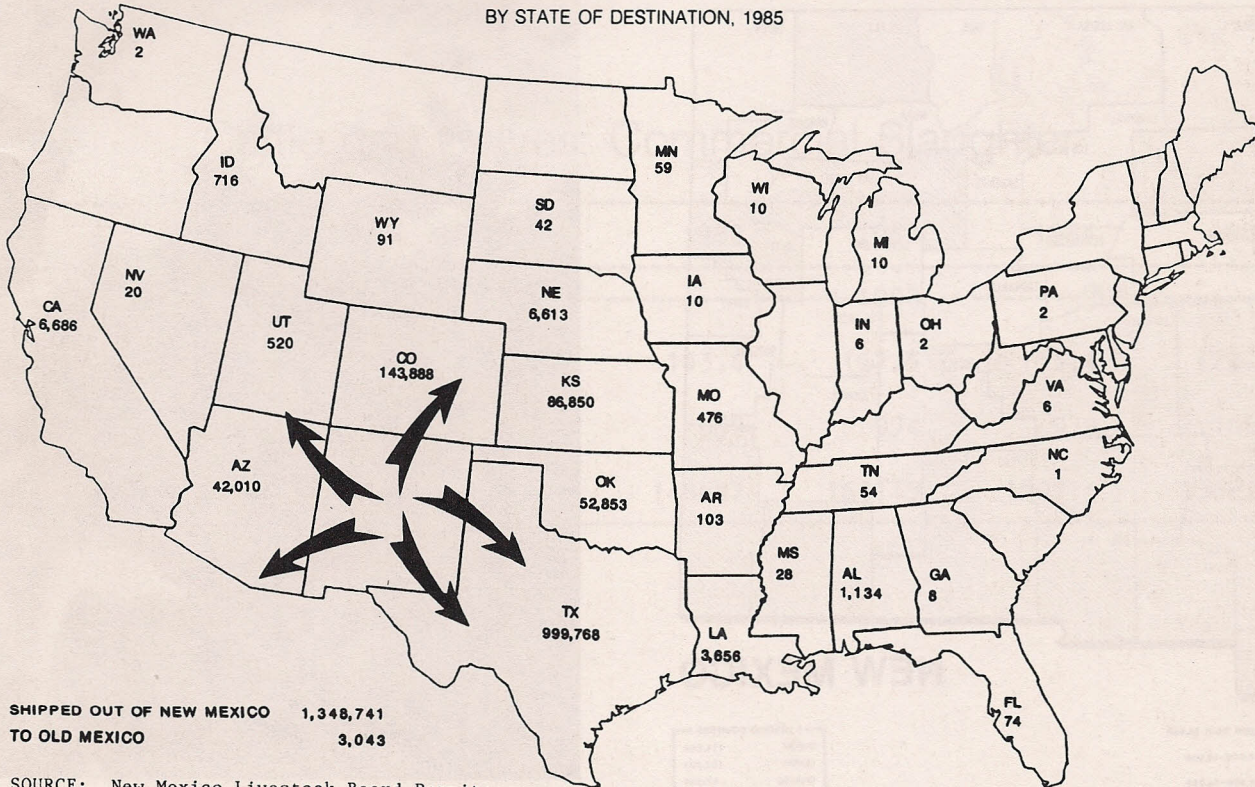
BY STATE OF ORIGIN, 1985



TOTAL SHIPPED INTO NEW MEXICO 716,175
FROM OLD MEXICO 47,764

Cattle Number Shipped Out of New Mexico

BY STATE OF DESTINATION, 1985



SHIPPED OUT OF NEW MEXICO 1,348,741
TO OLD MEXICO 3,043

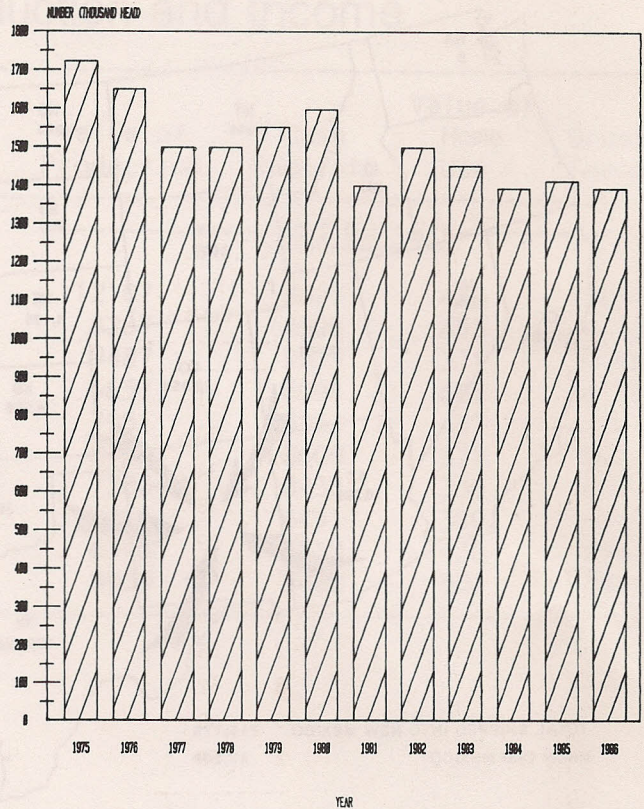
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Cattle and Calves: Number and Value

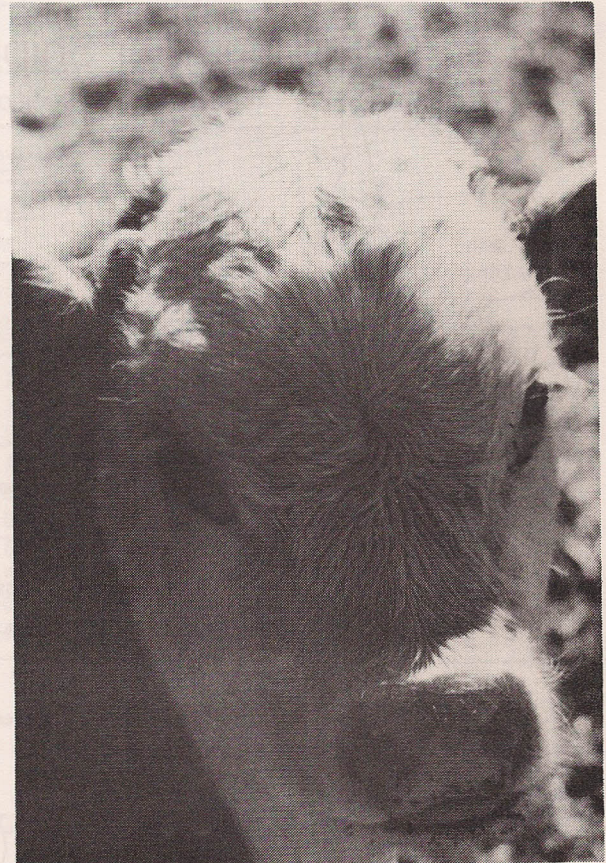
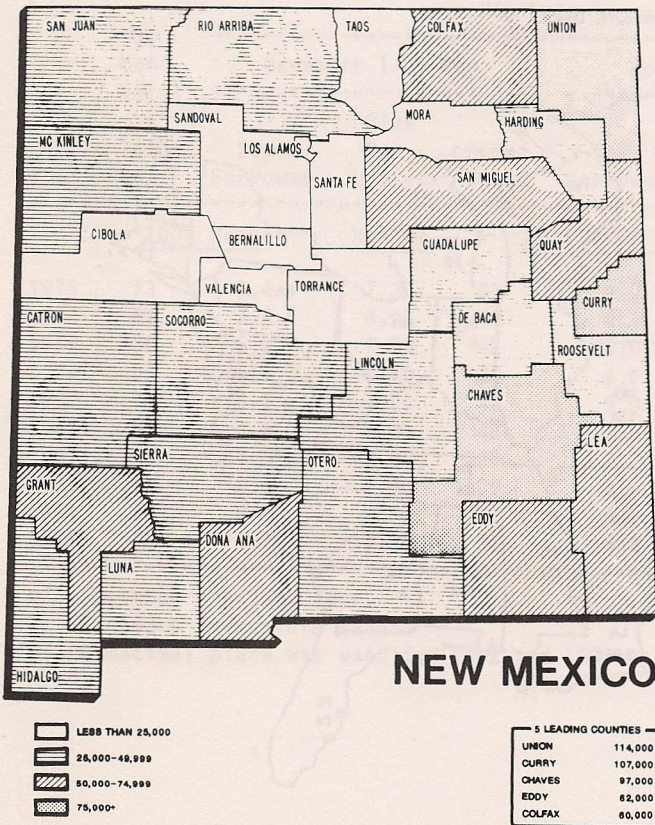
Year	Number 1/ 1000 Head	Value Per Head Dollars	Total Value 1000 Dollars
1976	1650	165.00	272250
1977	1500	175.00	262500
1978	1550	195.00	302250
1979	1500	345.00	517500
1980	1600	415.00	664000
1981	1400	400.00	560000
1982	1500	340.00	510000
1983	1450	340.00	493000
1984	1390	360.00	500400
1985	1410	350.00	493500
1986	1390	350.00	486500

1/ As of January 1.

Cattle and Calves, January 1, 1975-1986



All Cattle and Calves January 1, 1986



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Cattle and Calves: Number by Class^{1/}

Year	All Cattle and Calves	Cows and Heifers That Have Calved			Heifers 500 Lbs. and Over					Steers 500 Lbs. & Over	Calves Under 500 Lbs.	
		All Cows	Beef Cows	Milk Cows	Bulls 500 Lbs. & Over	Beef Replacement	Milk Replacement	Other	Total			
-----1000 Head-----												
1976	1650	675	644	31	40	106	9	88	203	223	509	
1977	1500	675	642	33	45	99	6	84	189	165	426	
1978	1550	651	617	34	43	87	12	105	204	172	480	
1979	1500	635	597	38	40	75	8	78	161	184	480	
1980	1600	665	626	39	46	114	8	105	227	224	438	
1981	1400	600	551	49	42	95	17	77	189	202	367	
1982	1500	620	565	55	42	96	21	93	210	237	391	
1983	1450	650	592	58	45	100	23	80	203	202	350	
1984	1390	640	578	62	42	93	22	73	188	206	314	
1985	1410	620	555	65	41	87	28	78	193	210	346	
1986	1390	610	542	68	40	87	28	75	190	210	340	

1/ As of January 1.

Cattle and Calves: Commercial Slaughter

	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
-----1000-----					
Number (Head)	165.3	153.4	167.5	163.4	129.2
Average Liveweight (Pounds)	976	969	974	979	1054
Total Liveweight (Pounds)	161324	148697	163115	159914	136221

Cattle and Calves: Inventory, Supply, and Disposition

Year	All Cattle and Calves 1/	Calf Crop	Inshipments	Marketings 2/		Farm Slaughter 3/ Cattle & Calves	Deaths	
				Cattle	Calves		Cattle	Calves
-----1000 Head-----								
1976	1650	590	755	1309	111	10	25	40
1977	1500	565	1128	1424	131	8	40	40
1978	1550	560	1000	1382	136	7	45	40
1979	1500	580	900	1218	91	6	30	35
1980	1600	600	700	1313	117	5	30	35
1981	1400	600	600	909	127	5	29	30
1982	1500	580	660	1078	146	6	28	32
1983	1450	570	640	1055	144	6	30	35
1984	1390	540	770	1095	130	5	25	35
1985	1410	535	720	1073	137	5	25	35

1/ Includes cattle on feed in feedlots.

2/ Includes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced, but excludes inter-farm sales within the state.

3/ Excludes custom slaughter for farmers at commercial establishments.

Cattle and Calves: Production and Income

Year	Production 1/	Marketings 2/	Price Per 100 Pounds		Value of Production	Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Consumption	Gross Income
			Cattle	Calves				
-----1000 Pounds-----			-----Dollars-----		-----1000 Dollars-----			
1976	648020	1165760	36.30	32.40	234598	421480	4133	425613
1977	589660	1256860	38.50	36.70	225703	482971	4527	487498
1978	587560	1224692	52.90	60.80	315185	652105	5369	657474
1979	616680	1091480	69.20	87.60	430817	761843	6655	768498
1980	673370	1199520	64.30	77.60	435917	777401	4325	781726
1981	530450	818050	51.00	67.10	280238	425385	4708	430093
1982	545360	957060	46.80	62.60	264241	456900	4750	461650
1983	561720	947510	46.50	65.20	269089	451094	4884	455978
1984	576370	986100	46.00	63.10	276062	462276	4825	467101
1985	667030	1044120	49.40	68.10	339136	525787	5628	531415

1/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.

2/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

3/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Cattle and Calves: Number on Farms by County^{1/}

County	All Cattle		Beef Cows		Milk Cows		Other Cattle 2/	
	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986	1985	1986
BERNALILLO	24000	24000	9500	9500	4700	4700	9800	9800
CATRON	42000	42000	19000	18500	50	50	22950	23450
CHAVES	122000	97000	50000	47000	12000	13200	60000	36800
CIBOLA	18000	19000	8500	9000	50	50	9450	9950
COLFAX	61000	60000	24000	24000	100	50	36900	35950
CURRY	105000	107000	11000	10000	1600	1600	92400	95400
DE BACA	34000	35000	13500	14000	300	100	20200	20900
DONA ANA	47000	50000	9000	9000	23800	26000	14200	15000
EDDY	60000	62000	26000	26000	600	200	33400	35800
GRANT	58000	58000	30000	30000	100	50	27900	27950
GUADALUPE	34000	35000	16500	17500	50	50	17450	17450
HARDING	46000	48000	17500	17500	50	50	28450	30450
HIDALGO	43000	44000	23000	23000	50	50	19950	20950
LEA	54000	52000	23500	22000	1900	1900	28600	28100
LINCOLN	33000	35000	19500	20000	100	50	13400	14950
LUNA	42000	44000	17500	18000	400	300	24100	25700
MCKINLEY	26000	26000	15000	15000	50	50	10950	10950
MORA	26000	24000	10000	10000	50	50	15950	13950
OTERO	28000	26000	18500	17500	50	50	9450	8450
QUAY	58000	56000	24000	23000	200	200	33800	32800
RIO ARRIBA	33000	34000	21500	22000	50	50	11450	11950
ROOSEVELT	50000	49000	14000	11000	7600	7500	28400	30500
SAN JUAN	30000	30000	12000	11000	1000	900	17000	18100
SAN MIGUEL	54000	53000	22500	22000	100	50	31400	30950
SANDOVAL	18000	18000	9000	9000	1500	1600	7500	7400
SANTA FE	24000	23000	7000	6500	200	100	16800	16400
SIERRA	32000	33000	10000	11000	1900	1900	20100	20100
SOCORRO	46000	46000	23000	22000	1900	2200	21100	21800
TAOS	9000	9000	4000	4000	100	100	4900	4900
TORRANCE	22000	23000	10000	10000	50	50	11950	12950
UNION	117000	114000	32000	29000	400	400	84600	84600
VALENCIA	14000	14000	4500	4000	4000	4400	5500	5600
STATE	1410000	1390000	555000	542000	65000	68000	790000	780000

1/ As of January 1.

2/ Includes cattle on feed.

Cattle and Calves: Number on Feed by County^{1/}

County	Number on Feed						
	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
CHAVES	84400	53100	18000	24300	26400	34000	---
CURRY	55800	32000	22600	36300	37600	54000	50000
UNION	40200	48100	40900	51400	47400	55000	51500
OTHER COUNTIES	58600	52800	45500	37000	34600	35000	55500
STATE	239000	186000	127000	149000	146000	178000	157000

1/ Includes only those animals on full feed for the slaughter market, as of January 1.

Range and Pasture Condition^{1/}

Year	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November
	-----Percent-----							
1976	60	62	66	55	67	65	70	65
1977	55	71	77	66	69	81	77	73
1978	71	65	70	76	73	70	68	70
1979	72	79	87	91	86	88	84	79
1980	71	76	76	66	52	54	64	66
1981	57	60	61	59	75	93	95	96
1982	79	72	77	77	70	79	85	81
1983	83	87	78	81	66	65	60	64
1984	59	57	68	83	83	92	89	94
1985	92	88	95	92	81	83	87	94

1/ Range and pasture condition is expressed as a percentage. 100 percent represents the normal growth and vitality one would expect if there had been no damage from unfavorable weather, insects, pests, etc.

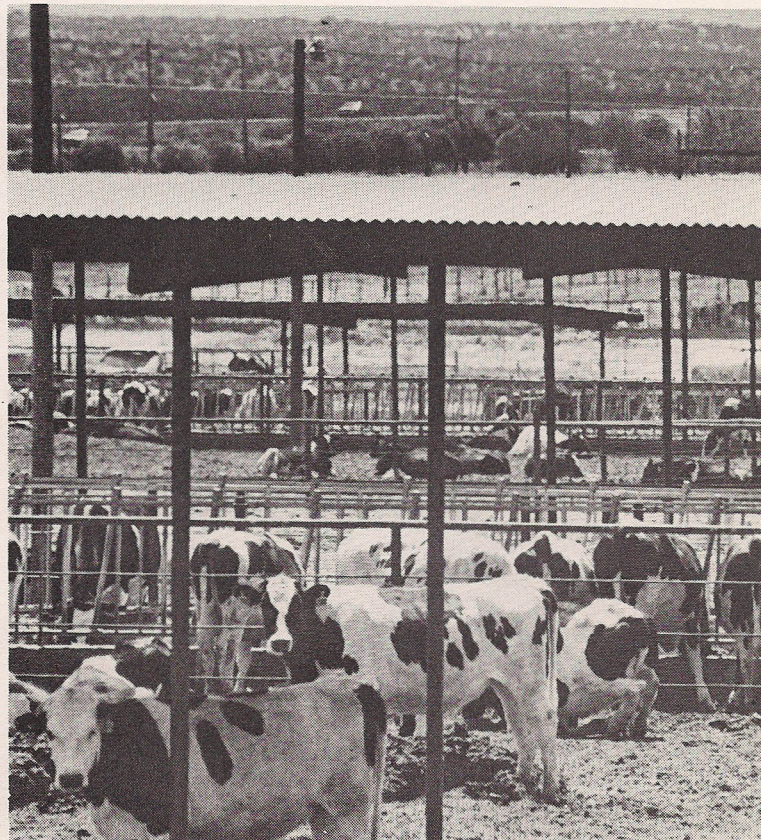
Milk: Production, Disposition, Price, and Income

Year	Milk Cows On Farms 1/	Milk Production Per Cow	Total Milk Production	Used on Farms	Disposition of Milk Produced				Value of Sales	Income From Dairy Products
					Sold Wholesale		Milk and Cream Retailed by Farmers			
					Whole Milk	Price Per 100 Pounds	Milk Equivalent	Price Per Quart		
	1000 Head	Pounds	-----Million Pounds-----		Dollars	Million Quarts	Cents	---1000 Dollars---		
1976	32	12656	405	11	375	10.70	8.8	48.0	44367	45155
1977	33	12909	426	11	398	10.80	7.9	51.0	47017	47810
1978	36	12722	458	14	430	11.50	6.5	50.0	52706	53774
1979	38	13342	507	14	479	13.00	6.5	50.0	65526	66722
1980	45	13378	602	14	575	14.10	6.0	53.0	84280	85570
1981	51	13157	671	11	645	15.30	7.0	57.0	102662	103595
1982	57	14246	812	15	780	15.30	7.9	57.0	123847	125090
1983	61	15377	938	12	905	14.00	9.8	56.0	132170	133169
1984	64	15719	1006	13	968	13.80	11.6	58.0	140328	141317
1985	67	16060	1076	12	1042	13.10	10.2	60.0	142642	143446

1/ Average number during year.

Milk: Prices Received

Year and Month	\$/cwt.
1985 JANUARY	14.23
FEBRUARY	14.03
MARCH	13.68
APRIL	13.31
MAY	13.06
JUNE	12.67
JULY	12.67
AUGUST	12.56
SEPTEMBER	12.76
OCTOBER	13.02
NOVEMBER	12.88
DECEMBER	12.60
1985	13.10
1984	13.80
1983	14.00
1982	15.30
1981	15.30



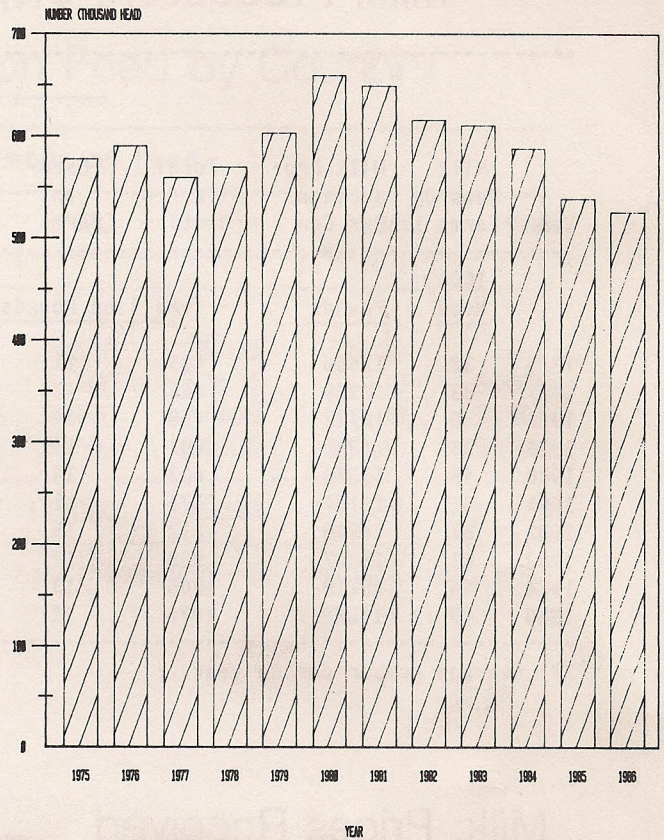
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Sheep and Lambs: Number and Value^{1/}

Year	Number	Value Per Head	Total Value
	1000 Head	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	590	35.00	20650
1977	560	40.50	22680
1978	571	47.50	27123
1979	604	68.00	41072
1980	660	77.00	50820
1981	650	62.50	40625
1982	615	50.00	30750
1983	610	47.50	28975
1984	589	43.50	25622
1985	538	55.00	29590
1986	525	61.50	32288

1/ As of January 1.

Sheep and Lambs, January 1, 1975-1986



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Sheep and Lambs: Commercial Slaughter

	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Number (1000 Head)	86.5	117.6	141.0	74.6	203.2
Total Liveweight (1000 Pounds)	9903	13080	15878	7481	22632

Sheep and Lambs: Number on Farms by County^{1/}

County	1986 Rank by County	1984	1985 2/ Head	1986
BERNALILLO	21	3000	2000	1500
CATRON	29	500	100	100
CHAVES	1	155000	148800	155200
CIBOLA	8	18000	16000	14000
COLFAX	25	2000	1000	900
CURRY	18	5000	3000	2000
DE BACA	9	17000	13000	12000
DONA ANA	21	1400	1600	1500
EDDY	6	29000	22000	23000
GRANT	28	100	200	200
GUADALUPE	5	39000	35000	35000
HARDING	26	800	800	800
HIDALGO	29	300	100	100
LEA	11	9000	9600	9100
LINCOLN	3	87000	75000	70000
LUNA	29	300	100	100
MCKINLEY	2	96000	90000	85000
MORA	21	2000	1500	1500
OTERO	7	15000	15500	15000
QUAY	18	4000	3000	2000
RIO ARRIBA	12	10000	8000	8500
ROOSEVELT	15	6000	5000	4000
SAN JUAN	4	47000	45000	50000
SAN MIGUEL	24	2000	1500	1000
SANDOVAL	14	6000	7500	5000
SANTA FE	27	2000	1000	500
SIERRA	29	200	200	100
SOCORRO	17	5400	5000	3500
TAOS	13	7000	6500	5500
TORRANCE	9	12000	13500	12000
UNION	20	1000	1500	1900
VALENCIA	15	6000	5000	4000
STATE		589000	538000	525000

1/ As of January 1.

2/ Revised.

Sheep and Lambs: Production and Income

Year	Production 1/ -----1000 Pounds-----	Market- ings 2/ -----Dollars-----	Price Per 100 Pounds		Value of Production -----1000 Dollars-----	Cash Receipts 3/	Value of Home Use	Gross Income
			Sheep	Lambs				
1976	16312	27270	12.10	45.50	7123	8678	896	9574
1977	14554	27836	13.30	53.10	7739	10469	953	11422
1978	14350	20217	20.60	67.90	9923	9740	1305	11045
1979	19668	25172	27.80	71.90	13004	15322	1635	16957
1980	16226	27786	22.60	61.90	9224	13513	1374	14887
1981	23519	34683	22.70	51.00	10888	15427	1235	16662
1982	21287	26451	18.20	48.60	9179	10680	1091	11771
1983	24537	34357	15.00	50.10	10592	12482	904	13386
1984	18423	29602	21.10	56.80	9506	12838	887	13725
1985	21577	25090	28.00	68.80	13406	13341	1396	14737

1/ Adjustments made for changes in inventory and for inshipments.

2/ Excludes custom slaughter for use on farms where produced and interfarm sales within the State.

3/ Receipts from marketings and sale of farm slaughter.

Sheep and Lambs: Number on Farms by Class^{1/}

Year	Total Sheep	Sheep On Feed	Stock Sheep				
			Total	Lambs		One Year and Over	
				Ewes	Wethers and Rams	Ewes	Wethers and Rams
-----1000 Head-----							
1976	590	23	567	79	11	454	23
1977	560	24	536	72	11	429	24
1978	571	25	546	76	9	437	24
1979	604	49	555	92	8	432	23
1980	660	65	595	96	8	468	23
1981	650	55	595	96	8	468	23
1982	615	20	595	96	8	468	23
1983	610	45	565	81	9	452	23
1984	589	64	525	57	11	435	22
1985	538	52	486	63	13	391	19
1986	525	85	440	58	8	355	19

1/ As of January 1.

Sheep and Lambs: Number on Feed by County ^{1/}

County	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986
-----Head-----						
CHAVES	33000	15000	41500	39000	31000	63000
OTHER COUNTIES	22000	5000	3500	25000	21000	22000
STATE	55000	20000	45000	64000	52000	85000

^{1/} As of January 1.

Sheep and Lambs: Inventory, Lamb Crop, and Disposition

Year	Total Sheep & Lambs ---1000 Head---	Lambs Saved		Inshipments Sheep & Lambs -----1000 Head-----	Marketings ^{1/}		Farm	Deaths	
		Number	As % of Ewes 1 Yr. & Older ---Percent---		Sheep	Lambs	Slaughter Sheep & Lambs -----1000 Head-----	Sheep	Lambs
1976	590	345	76	102	98	204	35	75	65
1977	560	322	75	174	95	215	33	77	65
1978	571	323	74	110	71	141	33	85	70
1979	604	363	84	153	69	231	35	70	55
1980	660	356	76	132	106	220	30	74	68
1981	650	407	87	116	99	318	35	54	52
1982	615	375	80	82	93	228	35	50	56
1983	610	350	80	104	119	234	32	40	50
1984	589	340	78	82	99	264	27	35	48
1985	538	325	83	44	99	172	23	38	50

^{1/} Excludes inter-farm sales.

Wool: Production and Value

Year	Sheep Shorn 1000 Head	Average	Produc- tion 1000 Pounds	Price	Value 1000 Dollars
		Weight of Fleece Pounds		Per Pound Cents	
1976	500	9.8	4895	66	3231
1977	496	9.4	4656	71	3306
1978	532	9.6	5092	73	3717
1979	545	9.1	4978	92	4580
1980	555	9.2	5080	90	4572
1981	555	9.5	5280	106	5597
1982	515	9.6	4922	88	4331
1983	530	9.1	4833	76	3673
1984	539	9.2	4975	87	4328
1985	522	9.2	4819	72	3470

Wool: Prices Received

Year and Month	Cents/lb.
1985 JANUARY	91
FEBRUARY	69
MARCH	80
APRIL	73
MAY	74
JUNE	66
JULY	58
AUGUST	83
SEPTEMBER	56
OCTOBER	73
NOVEMBER	47
DECEMBER	66
1985	72
1984	87
1983	76
1982	88
1981	106

Hogs and Pigs: Production and Income

Year	Production	Marketings	Price Per	Value of	Cash	Value of	Gross
			100 Pounds	Production	Receipts	Home Use	Income
-----1000 Pounds-----			Dollars	-----1000 Dollars-----			
1976	26679	23375	45.40	12107	10622	439	11061
1977	20520	22117	40.50	8287	8998	453	9451
1978	19793	20391	47.90	9487	9835	371	10206
1979	15553	14112	42.80	6657	6096	663	6759
1980	20334	17367	39.10	7951	6864	437	7301
1981	19828	20058	42.30	8468	8609	371	8980
1982	13896	16090	51.90	7280	8435	336	8771
1983	12252	12949	49.10	6086	6451	389	6840
1984	12870	11098	48.90	6348	5510	430	5940
1985	12994	11858	45.50	5959	5482	501	5983

Hogs and Pigs: Number on Farms, Pig Crop, and Disposition

Year	Pig Crop						Disposition				
	On Hand Dec 1	December 1/ - May			June - November			Inship- ments	Market- ings 2/	Farm Slaughter	Deaths
		Total Hogs	Sows Farrowed	Pigs Per Litter	Pigs Saved	Sows Farrowed	Pigs Per Litter				
	-----1000 Head-----	Number	-----1000 Head-----	Number	-----1000 Head-----	Number	-----1000 Head-----	Number	Number	Number	
1976	73	9.4	7.30	69	9.8	6.20	61	4	103	3	8
1977	60	7.0	6.90	48	6.0	7.30	44	5	99	4	7
1978	50	6.0	7.80	47	5.0	7.90	40	4	92	3	6
1979	52	6.0	6.40	38	6.0	6.20	37	5	67	4	7
1980	74	6.0	7.00	42	9.0	7.60	68	4	81	4	7
1981	62	6.5	7.40	48	6.0	7.00	42	3	96	3	6
1982 3/	38	4.0	7.50	30	3.7	7.60	28	1.6	77.5	2.1	4.0
1983 3/	30	3.8	7.50	29	3.4	7.50	26	2.0	60.2	1.8	3.0
1984	35	4.2	7.30	31	4.1	7.00	29	2	52	2	3
1985	38	4.2	7.30	31	4.2	7.70	32	2	56	2	4

1/ December previous year.

2/ Excludes inter-farm sales.

3/ A decimal place was used for 1982 and 1983 estimates to avoid distorting smaller disposition categories.

Hogs and Pigs: Commercial Slaughter

	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
	-----1000-----				
Number (Head)	38.7	25.1	9.3	9.2	7.3
Total Liveweight (Lbs.)	8759	5543	2055	2091	1604

Hogs and Pigs: Number on Farms by County^{1/}

County	1985 Rank by County	1983	1984	1985
-----Head-----				
BERNALILLO	11	300	400	400
CATRON	23	100	100	100
CHAVES	6	1400	1400	1800
CIBOLA	23	100	100	100
COLFAX	17	200	100	200
CURRY	9	500	500	500
DE BACA	23	100	100	100
DONA ANA	4	1900	2000	2500
EDDY	17	200	100	200
GRANT	23	100	100	100
GUADALUPE	23	100	100	100
HARDING	23	100	100	100
HIDALGO	2	6300	7300	8500
LEA	17	400	200	200
LINCOLN	23	100	100	100
LUNA	1	7800	9000	9000
MCKINLEY	12	200	300	300
MORA	23	100	100	100
OTERO	3	1900	3900	5300
QUAY	9	800	500	500
RIO ARRIBA	12	200	300	300
ROOSEVELT	8	2400	2000	1500
SAN JUAN	12	400	200	300
SAN MIGUEL	23	200	100	100
SANDOVAL	12	300	300	300
SANTA FE	12	100	100	300
SIERRA	17	200	200	200
SOCORRO	23	100	100	100
TAOS	17	200	200	200
TORRANCE	17	500	200	200
UNION	4	1600	3000	2500
VALENCIA	6	1100	1800	1800
STATE		30000	35000	38000

1/ As of December 1.

Chickens: Number on Farms, by Class and Inventory Value

Year	Total Chickens	Of Laying Age		Pullets Not of Laying Age	Other	Value Per Head	Total Value
		Hens	Pullets				
						Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	1450	442	660	336	12	1.85	2683
1977	1970	690	658	620	2	1.90	3743
1978	2110	928	619	561	2	2.15	4536
1979	2190	800	819	569	2	2.20	4818
1980	2145	715	820	605	5	1.70	3647
1981	1825	939	570	310	6	1.95	3559
1982	1548	720	435	385	8	1.90	2941
1983	1544	797	354	383	10	2.45	3783
1984	1502	797	353	344	8	2.00	3004
1985	1470	638	462	361	9	2.25	3308

Layers: Number, Egg Production, Price, and Value

Year	Average Number Layers On Hand	Egg Production	Price Per Dozen	Value of Production
	1000 Head			
1976	1115	270	65.0	14625
1977	1274	288	59.0	14160
1978	1484	359	57.0	17053
1979	1519	368	61.0	18707
1980	1588	378	60.0	18900
1981	1415	347	68.0	19663
1982	1247	302	60.0	15100
1983	1180	287	63.0	15068
1984	1160	282	74.0	17390
1985	1144	273	56.0	12740

Eggs: Monthly Prices Received

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec
Cents Per Dozen												
1981	67.0	65.0	64.0	70.0	60.0	59.0	66.0	64.0	67.0	72.0	75.0	72.0
1982	67.0	63.0	70.0	61.0	52.0	50.0	52.0	58.0	58.0	59.0	52.0	58.0
1983	52.0	55.0	57.0	55.0	63.0	64.0	61.0	68.0	69.0	71.0	83.0	89.0
1984	105.0	103.0	77.0	99.0	67.0	64.0	62.0	60.0	51.0	57.0	57.0	57.0
1985	57.0	47.0	55.0	51.0	48.0	58.0	51.0	58.0	64.0	64.0	67.0	66.0

Chickens: Number on Farms by County^{1/}

County	1985 Rank In State	1983 <u>Head</u>	1984 <u>Head</u>	1985 <u>Head</u>
BERNALILLO	2	465000	476000	450000
CATRON	31	500	500	500
CHAVES	6	5000	5000	5000
CIBOLA	25	1000	1000	1000
COLFAX	13	2500	2500	2500
CURRY	11	3000	3500	3000
DE BACA	25	1000	1000	1000
DONA ANA	1	950000	900000	900000
EDDY	4	13000	13000	10000
GRANT	16	2000	2000	2000
GUADALUPE	21	1500	1500	1500
HARDING	25	1500	1500	1000
HIDALGO	25	1000	1500	1000
LEA	5	7500	6500	6000
LINCOLN	31	500	500	500
LUNA	25	1000	1000	1000
MCKINLEY	25	2000	2000	1000
MORA	21	2000	2000	1500
OTERO	13	2500	2500	2500
QUAY	16	2000	2000	2000
RIO ARRIBA	6	3000	3000	5000
ROOSEVELT	3	45000	46000	46000
SAN JUAN	8	5000	4000	4000
SAN MIGUEL	8	8000	5500	4000
SANDOVAL	21	1500	1500	1500
SANTA FE	16	2000	2000	2000
SIERRA	21	1000	1000	1500
SOCORRO	16	2000	2500	2000
TAOS	13	2500	2500	2500
TORRANCE	16	2000	2000	2000
UNION	10	3500	3500	3500
VALENCIA	11	4000	3000	3000
STATE		1544000	1502000	1470000

1/ As of December 1.

FIELD CROPS

New Mexico crop producers established several yield and production records for major crops in 1985. The most notable of records set was by wheat growers as new levels were reached for harvested acreage, yield, and production. The 1985 wheat production was nearly double that of recent years. Yield records were also set for corn cut for grain, alfalfa hay, and American-Pima cotton. Record production was established for corn silage and potatoes, in addition to wheat. Weather conditions during the year were favorable for most crops, except for cotton on the east side of the State. Untimely rains during spring planting either washed out fields or promoted moisture related diseases that essentially strangled Roosevelt County cotton. But the carryover moisture from 1984 and above average precipitation in 1985 stimulated most other field crops, particularly on dryland fields. Surface water supplies were more than plentiful on March 1, as forecasts predicted nearly twice the normal runoff for the lower Rio Grande Basin. Above average rains continued to fall over much of the State following the spectacular summer wheat harvest. Feed grain, cotton, and alfalfa harvestings were better than normal, as were peanut and potato crops. Unfortunately, the above average production situation only further depressed the already slumping price outlook; not only in New Mexico, but Nationwide as well. Planting of the 1986 wheat crop was virtually complete by October 1. Excellent moisture was received soon after planting, but by January 1, 1986, dryland fields were in need of winter rains or snow to carry the crop into spring. For the second year in a row, New Mexico crop producers had realized better than average growing conditions to operate under. The economic climate, however, continued to cloud an otherwise successful crop year.



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Acreage and Value of Principle Field Crops

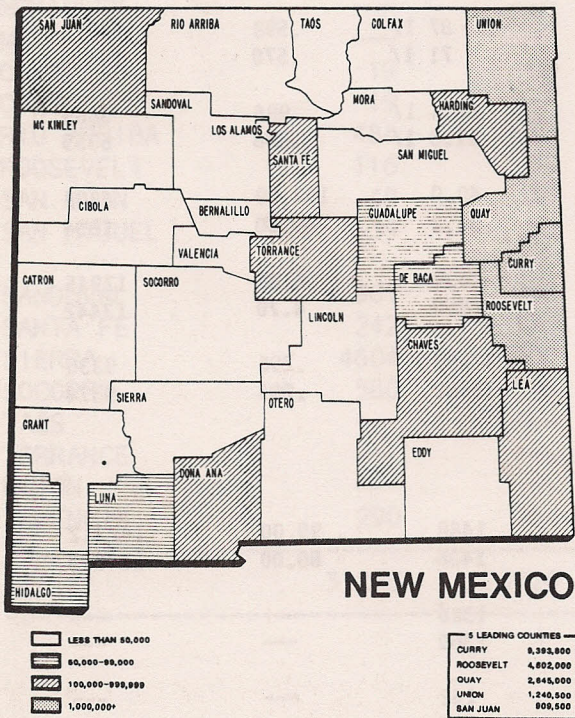
Commodity	Year	Unit	Acreage	Yield Per	Production	Season Avg.	Value of
			Harvested	Acres		Price	Production
			<u>1000 Acres</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>1000</u>	<u>Dollars</u>	<u>1000 Dollars</u>
GENERAL CROPS							
CORN FOR GRAIN	1984	BU.	63	150.0	9450	2.97	28067
	1985	BU.	65	155.0	10075	2.65	26699
CORN FOR SILAGE	1984	TONS	20	24.0	480	---	---
	1985	TONS	25	23.0	575	---	---
CORN FOR FORAGE	1984	---	1	---	---	---	---
	1985	---	1	---	---	---	---
WINTER WHEAT	1984	BU.	460	26.0	11960	3.36	40186
	1985	BU.	570	36.0	20520	3.25	66690
BARLEY	1984	BU.	20	75.0	1500	2.78	4170
	1985	BU.	15	70.0	1050	2.25	2363
SORGHUM GRAIN	1984	BU.	280	55.0	15400	2.62	40348
	1985	BU.	290	48.0	13920	2.38	33130
SORGHUM SILAGE	1984	TONS	3	18.0	54	---	---
	1985	TONS	1	12.0	12	---	---
SORGHUM FORAGE	1984	---	10	---	---	---	---
	1985	---	7	---	---	---	---
UPLAND COTTON	1984	LBS.	69	605	87 1/2	.598	24972
	1985	LBS.	54	631	71 1/2	.570	19426
AMERICAN-PIMA COTTON	1984	LBS.	10.0	595	12.4 1/2	.986	5869
	1985	LBS.	7.9	687	11.3 1/2	.988	5359
COTTONSEED	1984	TONS	---	---	40.0	102.00	4080
	1985	TONS	---	---	31.3	60.50	1894
POTATOES	1984	CWT.	9.1	290	2639	6.80	17945
	1985	CWT.	10.4	275	2860	4.70	13442
PEANUTS	1984	LBS.	14.5	2220	32190	.290	9335
	1985	LBS.	12.4	2580	31992	.293	9374
HAY CROPS							
ALL HAY	1984	TONS	350	4.25	1488	99.00	147312
	1985	TONS	330	4.35	1436	80.00	114880
ALFALFA HAY	1984	TONS	260	5.10	1326	---	---
	1985	TONS	250	5.20	1300	---	---
ALL OTHER HAY	1984	TONS	90	1.80	162	---	---
	1985	TONS	80	1.70	136	---	---

1/ 480 pound net weight bales.

Wheat: Acreage, Production, and Value

Year	Acreage		Yield Per	Production	Price	Value
	Planted	Harvested	Harvested		Per	of
	1000	1000	Acre		Bushel	Production
	Acres	Acres	Bushels	Bushels	Dollars	Dollars
1976	510	245	23.0	5635	2.91	16398
1977	572	421	21.0	8841	2.18	19273
1978	559	336	18.0	6048	2.85	17237
1979	576	410	22.0	9020	3.91	35268
1980	650	500	21.0	10500	3.76	39480
1981	700	500	22.0	11000	3.64	40040
1982	730	510	25.0	12750	3.62	46155
1983	750	470	29.0	13630	3.48	47432
1984	730	460	26.0	11960	3.36	40186
1985	730	570	36.0	20520	3.25	66690

Wheat Bushels Produced 1985



New Mexico wheat production reached a record 20,520,000 bushels in 1985. This level was 72 percent above 1984 production and 51 percent higher than 1983. Area planted to the 1985 crop was unchanged from the previous year, at 730,000 acres. Wheat harvested in 1985 totaled 570,000 acres, up 24 percent from 1984 and also a record. Ideal growing conditions throughout the crop year resulted in yet another record, yield per acre. Growers cut an average 36 bushels per acre in 1985, 10 bushels higher than the previous year. Only one previous yield of record, in 1966, has surpassed the 30 bushel mark. Although a production of this magnitude had not been seen before 1985, prices received by farmers moved in the opposite direction. An average \$3.25 per bushel was received for the 1985 crop, down 11 cents per bushel from 1984 and the lowest season average since 1978. The total value of 1985 production reached a record \$66.7 million, up 66 percent from a year earlier. Wheat stocks on January 1, 1986, totaled a record 9.0 million bushels in New Mexico.

Wheat: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

COUNTY	ACRES PLANTED						HARVESTED FOR GRAIN					
	ALL PURPOSES			ACRES			YIELD PER ACRE			PRODUCTION		
	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL
1984												
ACRES						BUSHELS						
BERNALILLO	---	150	150	---	50	50	---	14.0	14.0	---	700	700
CATRON	50	200	250	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	6500	---	6500	4500	---	4500	60.0	---	60.0	270000	---	270000
CIBOLA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLFAX	1200	500	1700	600	250	850	32.0	16.0	27.3	19200	4000	23200
CURRY	450000	200000	245000	31000	138500	169500	64.0	23.0	30.5	1982500	3181600	5164100
DE BACA	4300	500	4800	1800	---	1800	50.0	---	50.0	90000	---	90000
DONA ANA	3700	---	3700	3200	---	3200	80.0	---	80.0	256000	---	256000
EDDY	1400	---	1400	950	---	950	58.0	---	58.0	55100	---	55100
GRANT	50	200	250	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GUADALUPE	200	2100	2300	50	800	850	40.0	8.0	9.9	2000	6400	8400
HARDING	1600	9400	11000	900	5450	6350	26.0	16.0	17.4	23400	87200	110600
HIDALGO	1500	---	1500	1400	---	1400	60.0	---	60.0	84000	---	84000
LEA	12800	9200	22000	8400	6600	15000	35.0	18.0	27.5	294000	118800	412800
LINCOLN	100	---	100	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	1800	---	1800	1600	---	1600	72.0	---	72.0	115200	---	115200
MCKINLEY	25	25	50	25	---	25	40.0	---	40.0	1000	---	1000
MORA	50	100	150	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	300	---	300	50	---	50	54.0	---	54.0	2700	---	2700
QUAY	20000	120000	140000	11000	69000	80000	30.0	15.0	17.0	329500	1031600	1361100
RIO ARRIBA	50	2050	2100	---	1350	1350	---	24.0	24.0	---	32400	32400
ROOSEVELT	32000	200000	232000	20000	115000	135000	40.0	10.0	14.4	799000	1144300	1943300
SAN JUAN	11000	---	11000	11000	---	11000	56.0	---	56.0	616000	---	616000
SAN MIGUEL	200	200	400	150	---	150	26.0	---	26.0	3900	---	3900
SANDOVAL	50	50	100	25	50	75	40.0	16.0	24.0	1000	800	1800
SANTA FE	2000	600	2600	850	550	1400	44.0	16.0	33.0	37400	8800	46200
SIERRA	500	---	500	450	---	450	76.0	---	76.0	34200	---	34200
SOCORRO	100	---	100	50	---	50	66.0	---	66.0	3300	---	3300
TAOS	275	25	300	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TORRANCE	3650	1500	5150	2800	300	3100	70.0	10.0	64.2	196000	3000	199000
UNION	23500	8600	32100	17500	3500	21000	58.0	28.0	53.0	1015000	98000	1113000
VALENCIA	700	---	700	300	---	300	40.0	---	40.0	12000	---	12000
STATE	174600	555400	730000	118600	341400	460000	52.6	16.7	26.0	6242400	5717600	11960000
1985												
ACRES						BUSHELS						
BERNALILLO	---	150	150	---	100	100	---	30.0	30.0	---	3000	3000
CATRON	50	200	250	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	6500	---	6500	3600	---	3600	55.0	---	55.0	198000	---	198000
CIBOLA	400	200	600	400	200	600	80.0	9.0	56.3	32000	1800	33800
COLFAX	1350	650	2000	950	450	1400	34.0	20.0	29.5	32300	9000	41300
CURRY	52000	213000	265000	46000	189700	235700	64.0	34.0	39.9	2944000	6449800	9393800
DE BACA	5450	750	6200	800	650	1450	60.0	22.0	43.0	48000	14300	62300
DONA ANA	2000	---	2000	1600	---	1600	88.0	---	88.0	140800	---	140800
EDDY	950	---	950	500	---	500	65.0	---	65.0	32500	---	32500
GRANT	200	---	200	100	---	100	70.0	---	70.0	7000	---	7000
GUADALUPE	200	2400	2600	50	2400	2450	20.0	29.0	28.8	1000	69600	70600
HARDING	1350	9650	11000	900	7300	8200	31.0	19.0	20.3	27900	138700	166600
HIDALGO	800	---	800	800	---	800	65.0	---	65.0	52000	---	52000
LEA	14600	6500	21100	12300	4300	16600	35.0	18.0	30.6	430500	77400	507900
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	950	---	950	750	---	750	70.0	---	70.0	52500	---	52500
MCKINLEY	25	25	50	25	---	25	20.0	---	20.0	500	---	500
MORA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	250	---	250	200	---	200	72.0	---	72.0	14400	---	14400
QUAY	18000	111800	129800	15000	83000	98000	38.0	25.0	27.0	570000	2075000	2645000
RIO ARRIBA	150	2000	2150	50	1600	1650	30.0	21.0	21.3	1500	33600	35100
ROOSEVELT	50000	175000	225000	30000	128000	158000	51.0	24.0	29.1	1530000	3072000	4602000
SAN JUAN	10700	---	10700	10700	---	10700	85.0	---	85.0	909500	---	909500
SAN MIGUEL	200	200	400	100	---	100	29.0	---	29.0	2900	---	2900
SANDOVAL	50	50	100	25	---	25	40.0	---	40.0	1000	---	1000
SANTA FE	1350	1150	2500	1300	800	2100	70.0	20.0	51.0	91000	16000	107000
SIERRA	100	---	100	100	---	100	80.0	---	80.0	8000	---	8000
SOCORRO	300	---	300	150	---	150	60.0	---	60.0	9000	---	9000
TAOS	325	25	350	250	---	250	40.0	---	40.0	10000	---	10000
TORRANCE	3250	1550	4800	1700	1300	3000	80.0	20.0	54.0	136000	26000	162000
UNION	26900	5800	32700	17300	4300	21600	64.0	31.0	57.4	1107200	133300	1240500
VALENCIA	500	---	500	250	---	250	44.0	---	44.0	11000	---	11000
STATE	198900	531100	730000	145900	424100	570000	57.6	28.6	36.0	8400500	12119500	20520000

All Hay: Acreage, Production, Value, and Farm Stocks

Crop Year	Acreage Harvested 1000 Acres	Yield Per	Production 1000 Tons	Price	Value	On Farm Stocks	
		Harvested Acre Tons		Per Ton Dollars	of Production 1000 Dollars	Jan. 1 1000 Tons	May 1 1000 Tons
1976	297	3.37	1000	63.50	63500	281	83
1977	308	3.75	1155	58.50	67568	310	100
1978	310	3.52	1092	64.00	69888	393	127
1979	319	3.76	1199	69.00	82731	426	66
1980	310	3.69	1144	86.50	98956	456	108
1981	335	4.03	1350	84.00	113400	343	114
1982	320	4.21	1348	75.00	101100	594	122
1983	320	4.38	1401	90.00	126090	566	148
1984	350	4.25	1488	99.00	147312	350	70
1985	330	4.35	1436	80.00	114880	432	119
1986	---	---	---	---	---	603	230

All Hay: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	1984			1985		
	Acreage Harvested Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production Tons	Acreage Harvested Acres	Yield Per Acre Tons	Production Tons
BERNALILLO	4900	4.1	20300	4500	4.4	19700
CATRON	550	2.4	1300	350	2.3	800
CHAVES	55700	6.4	353800	51400	6.1	312000
CIBOLA	1900	3.8	7200	1800	3.3	6000
COLFAX	14500	2.1	30900	13000	2.4	31200
CURRY	17000	2.5	42900	16600	2.4	40100
DE BACA	6400	4.0	25500	6100	4.5	27700
DONA ANA	19900	6.2	123000	20900	6.1	127700
EDDY	35300	5.9	208100	32000	6.1	193600
GRANT	1000	3.1	3100	1150	3.2	3700
GUADALUPE	1950	3.0	5900	1900	2.8	5300
HARDING	4250	1.1	4500	4150	1.0	4200
HIDALGO	1600	4.3	6800	1200	4.6	5500
LEA	13300	4.0	53100	11900	3.9	46800
LINCOLN	700	5.0	3500	800	5.8	4600
LUNA	2300	4.9	11200	2000	4.9	9800
MCKINLEY	1150	2.4	2800	1100	2.2	2400
MORA	10100	1.8	18300	9000	2.0	18400
OTERO	3700	4.9	18300	4700	5.3	25100
QUAY	9900	3.8	37400	9500	4.0	38100
RIO ARRIBA	15100	1.8	27000	12500	1.7	21400
ROOSEVELT	10400	3.2	33400	9700	3.5	33500
SAN JUAN	27200	4.3	118200	27500	4.9	135200
SAN MIGUEL	8900	2.1	18300	8600	2.0	17400
SANDOVAL	6000	3.5	20800	5000	3.7	18700
SANTA FE	6000	5.5	32700	6000	4.2	24900
SIERRA	3850	5.8	22200	2750	5.8	16000
SOCORRO	12800	4.9	62300	12500	5.3	66100
TAOS	16200	2.1	34600	16000	2.1	33300
TORRANCE	10400	3.9	41000	10200	4.8	48900
UNION	11400	2.9	32500	9700	3.1	29700
VALENCIA	15650	4.3	67100	15500	4.4	68200
STATE	350000	4.3	1488000	330000	4.4	1436000

Alfalfa and Other Hay: Acreage, Yield, and Production

Year	Alfalfa Hay			All Other Hay		
	Acreage	Yield Per	Production	Acreage	Yield Per	Production
	Harvested	Acre		Harvested	Acre	
	1000	Tons	1000	1000	1000	
Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	
1976	230	4.00	920	67	1.20	80
1977	238	4.50	1071	70	1.20	84
1978	240	4.20	1008	70	1.20	84
1979	245	4.50	1103	74	1.30	96
1980	240	4.30	1032	70	1.60	112
1981	260	4.70	1222	75	1.70	128
1982	250	5.00	1250	70	1.40	98
1983	250	5.10	1275	70	1.80	126
1984	260	5.10	1326	90	1.80	162
1985	250	5.20	1300	80	1.70	136

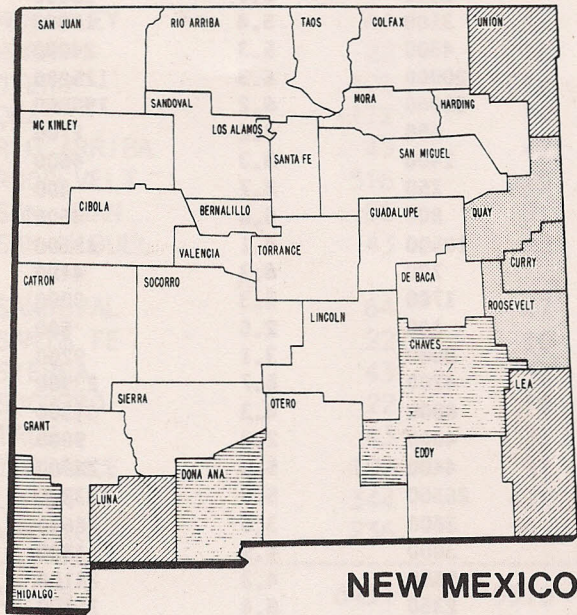
Alfalfa Hay: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	1984			1985		
	Acreage	Yield Per	Production	Acreage	Yield Per	Production
	Harvested	Acre		Harvested	Acre	
	1000	Tons	1000	1000	1000	
Acres	Tons	Tons	Acres	Tons	Tons	
BERNALILLO	4200	4.4	18500	3800	4.7	18000
CATRON	300	3.0	900	150	3.3	500
CHAVES	54500	6.4	350500	50000	6.2	308000
CIBOLA	1500	4.0	6000	1500	3.6	5400
COLFAX	8000	2.4	19200	8000	2.9	23000
CURRY	2800	5.5	15400	3100	5.4	16800
DE BACA	4500	4.5	20300	4500	5.3	24000
DONA ANA	19000	6.3	120500	20000	6.3	125200
EDDY	34000	6.0	205000	31000	6.2	190800
GRANT	600	4.0	2400	650	4.2	2700
GUADALUPE	1450	3.6	5200	1400	3.3	4600
HARDING	150	2.7	400	150	2.7	400
HIDALGO	1200	4.8	5800	800	5.6	4500
LEA	12000	4.2	50900	10500	4.1	43100
LINCOLN	600	5.5	3300	700	6.3	4400
LUNA	2000	5.2	10400	1700	5.3	9000
MCKINLEY	200	3.5	700	200	2.5	500
MORA	3500	2.4	8400	3000	3.1	9200
OTERO	3000	5.7	17100	4200	5.7	23900
QUAY	8000	4.0	32000	8000	4.3	34500
RIO ARRIBA	4300	2.3	9900	4000	2.3	9000
ROOSEVELT	3800	5.3	20200	4400	5.4	23900
SAN JUAN	26000	4.4	115500	26500	5.0	133300
SAN MIGUEL	3600	3.3	11900	3600	3.5	12600
SANDOVAL	3500	4.5	15800	3000	4.9	14800
SANTA FE	5600	5.7	31900	5600	4.3	24100
SIERRA	3500	6.1	21400	2350	6.4	15100
SOCORRO	11500	5.2	60000	11500	5.5	63800
TAOS	10300	2.5	25800	10500	2.5	25900
TORRANCE	8500	4.3	36600	8500	5.3	45300
UNION	4400	5.0	22000	3200	6.2	19700
VALENCIA	13500	4.6	62100	13500	4.7	64000
STATE	260000	5.1	1326000	250000	5.2	1300000

Sorghum: Acreage, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested for Grain				Harvested for Silage			
		Acreage	Yield	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value of Production	Acreage	Yield	Production
		1000 Acres	1000 Bushels	1000 Bushels	Dollars	1000 Dollars	1000 Acres	1000 Tons	1000 Tons
1976	272	199	60.0	11940	2.02	24119	5	11.0	55
1977	297	245	48.0	11760	1.88	22109	8	12.0	96
1978	336	267	46.0	12282	2.22	27266	9	13.0	117
1979	319	258	52.0	13416	2.49	33406	9	13.5	122
1980	340	257	40.0	10280	3.42	35158	11	12.5	138
1981	335	272	45.0	12240	2.47	30233	7	17.0	119
1982	330	280	47.0	13160	2.72	35795	7	23.0	161
1983	200	150	42.0	6300	3.00	18900	16	17.0	272
1984	300	280	55.0	15400	2.62	40348	3	18.0	54
1985	305	290	48.0	13920	2.38	33130	1	12.0	12

GRAIN SORGHUM Bushels Produced, 1985



[White Box] LESS THAN 100,000
 [Light Gray Box] 100,000-299,999
 [Medium Gray Box] 300,000-999,999
 [Dark Gray Box] 1,000,000+

5 LEADING COUNTIES
 CURRY 5,380,100
 ROOSEVELT 4,466,000
 QUAY 1,821,000
 UNION 899,000
 LUNA 567,000



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Sorghum: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

COUNTY	ACRES PLANTED						HARVESTED FOR GRAIN					
	ALL PURPOSES			ACRES			YIELD PER ACRE			PRODUCTION		
	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL
1984												
-----ACRES-----						-----BUSHELS-----						
BERNAL ILLO	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CATRON	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	2100	---	2100	1800	---	1800	90.0	---	90.0	162000	---	162000
CIBOLA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLFAX	---	50	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CURRY	33000	74000	107000	32900	69600	102500	107.0	50.0	68.3	3521700	3476600	6998300
DE BACA	550	---	550	450	---	450	96.0	---	96.0	43200	---	43200
DONA ANA	1200	---	1200	1200	---	1200	85.0	---	85.0	102000	---	102000
EDDY	1000	---	1000	1000	---	1000	54.0	---	54.0	54000	---	54000
GRANT	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GUADALUPE	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
HARDING	---	5100	5100	---	5100	5100	---	30.0	30.0	---	153000	153000
HIDALGO	2300	---	2300	2200	---	2200	109.5	---	109.5	240800	---	240800
LEA	4000	9200	13200	3500	7400	10900	64.0	22.0	35.5	224000	162800	386800
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	6400	---	6400	6100	---	6100	115.0	---	115.0	701200	---	701200
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MORA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
QUAY	13000	25000	38000	12400	22400	34800	73.5	29.0	44.9	912000	649600	1561600
RIO ARRIBA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ROOSEVELT	15000	88000	103000	13800	82500	96300	69.0	38.5	42.9	952500	3174800	4127300
SAN JUAN	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SAN MIGUEL	50	150	200	50	---	50	80.0	---	80.0	4000	---	4000
SANDOVAL	100	---	100	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SANTA FE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SIERRA	50	---	50	50	---	50	100.0	---	100.0	5000	---	5000
SOCORRO	150	---	150	150	---	150	90.0	---	90.0	13500	---	13500
TAOS	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TORRANCE	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
UNION	6000	13000	19000	5800	11500	17300	95.5	25.0	48.6	553900	287500	841400
VALENCIA	300	---	300	100	---	100	59.0	---	59.0	5900	---	5900
STATE	85500	214500	300000	81500	198500	280000	92.0	39.8	55.0	7495700	7904300	15400000
-----ACRES-----												
-----BUSHELS-----												
COUNTY	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL	IRRIG.	NON-IRRIG.	TOTAL
1985												
BERNAL ILLO	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CATRON	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	3100	---	3100	2800	---	2800	88.0	---	88.0	246400	---	246400
CIBOLA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLFAX	100	---	100	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CURRY	29000	66000	95000	28800	63500	92300	92.0	43.0	58.3	2649600	2730500	5380100
DE BACA	400	---	400	400	---	400	86.0	---	86.0	34400	---	34400
DONA ANA	1200	---	1200	1200	---	1200	90.0	---	90.0	108000	---	108000
EDDY	700	---	700	700	---	700	70.0	---	70.0	49000	---	49000
GRANT	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GUADALUPE	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
HARDING	250	3750	4000	200	3500	3700	30.0	25.0	25.3	6000	87500	93500
HIDALGO	2500	---	2500	2400	---	2400	105.0	---	105.0	252000	---	252000
LEA	5500	5500	11000	5200	5100	10300	55.0	21.0	38.2	286000	107100	393100
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	5500	---	5500	5250	---	5250	108.0	---	108.0	567000	---	567000
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MORA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
QUAY	16000	26000	42000	14900	22500	37400	65.0	29.0	43.3	968500	652500	1621000
RIO ARRIBA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ROOSEVELT	13000	107000	120000	12000	103600	115600	70.0	35.0	38.6	840000	3626000	4466000
SAN JUAN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SAN MIGUEL	50	150	200	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SANDOVAL	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SANTA FE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SIERRA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SOCORRO	150	---	150	150	---	150	70.0	---	70.0	10500	---	10500
TAOS	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TORRANCE	50	---	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
UNION	5500	13500	19000	5300	12500	17800	80.0	22.0	39.3	424000	275000	699000
VALENCIA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
STATE	83100	221900	305000	79300	210700	290000	81.2	35.5	48.0	6441400	7478600	13920000

Barley: Acreage, Production, and Value

Year	Acreage		Yield Per	Production	Price	Value
	Planted	Harvested	Harvested		Per	of
	1000 Acres	1000 Acres	Acre		Bushel	Production
			Bushels	1000 Bushels	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	32	24	51.0	1224	2.17	2656
1977	35	26	51.0	1326	1.65	2188
1978	33	25	57.0	1425	1.95	2779
1979	36	27	58.0	1566	2.40	3758
1980	43	35	62.0	2170	2.55	5534
1981	38	28	67.0	1876	2.81	5272
1982	47	37	66.0	2442	2.40	5861
1983	27	23	75.0	1725	2.80	4830
1984	25	20	75.0	1500	2.78	4170
1985	18	15	70.0	1050	2.25	2363

BARLEY Bushels Produced, 1985

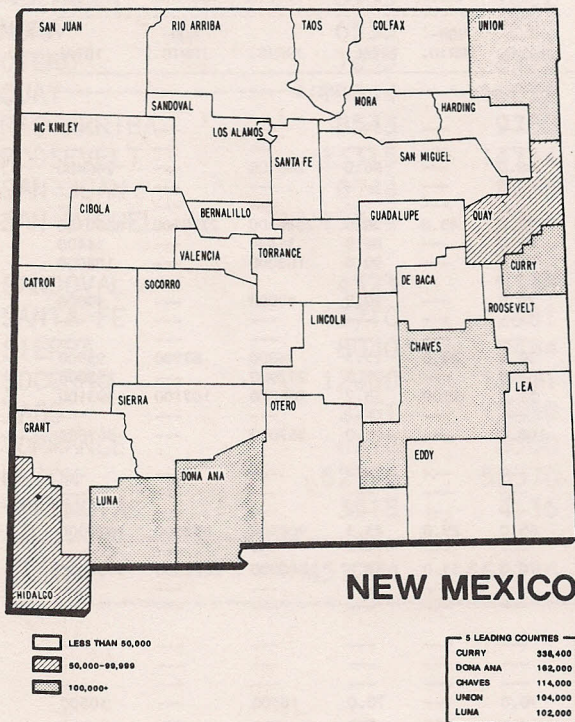


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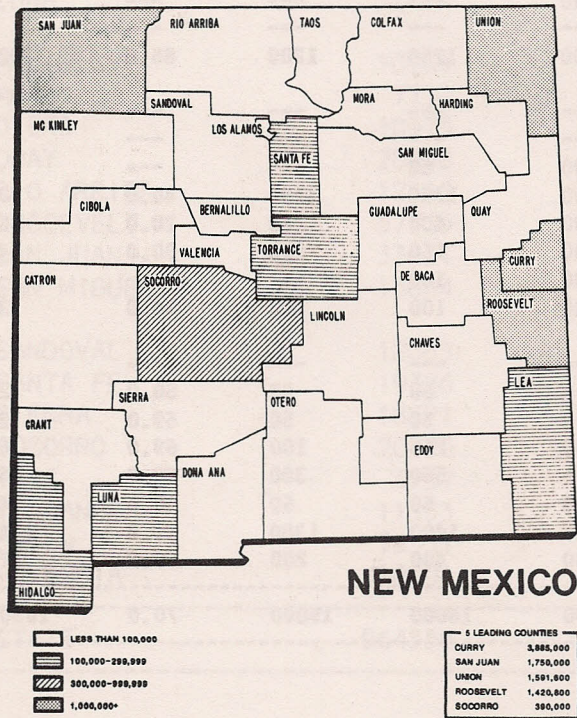
Barley: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	1984				1985			
	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Planted	Acreage Harvested For Grain	Yield Per Acre	Production
	Acres		Bushels		Acres		Bushels	
BERNALILLO	100	---	---	---	100	---	---	---
CATRON	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHAVES	6000	4300	65.0	279500	3000	1900	60.0	114000
CIBOLA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COLFAX	50	---	---	---	100	50	50.0	2500
CURRY	4300	4100	87.0	356800	4750	4700	72.0	338400
DE BACA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
DONA ANA	1500	1450	90.0	130500	1800	1800	90.0	162000
EDDY	1500	650	74.0	48100	850	200	80.0	16000
GRANT	100	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
GUADALUPE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
HARDING	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
HIDALGO	600	600	105.0	63000	850	850	99.0	84150
LEA	150	50	40.0	2000	---	---	---	---
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	1050	900	85.0	76500	1250	1200	85.0	102000
MCKINLEY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
MORA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
OTERO	750	750	50.0	37500	50	---	---	---
QUAY	1700	1600	32.0	51200	1750	1750	40.0	70000
RIO ARRIBA	300	100	20.0	2000	400	250	20.0	5000
ROOSEVELT	350	350	42.0	14700	150	150	30.0	4500
SAN JUAN	2900	2900	97.0	281300	100	---	---	---
SAN MIGUEL	100	100	36.0	3600	100	100	36.0	3600
SANDOVAL	50	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
SANTA FE	350	---	---	---	50	50	50.0	2500
SIERRA	---	---	---	---	50	50	69.0	3450
SOCORRO	350	200	65.0	13000	250	100	69.0	6900
TAOS	500	---	---	---	550	300	50.0	15000
TORRANCE	200	200	70.0	14000	50	50	80.0	4000
UNION	1700	1550	72.0	111600	1400	1300	80.0	104000
VALENCIA	400	200	73.5	14700	400	200	60.0	12000
STATE	25000	20000	75.0	1500000	18000	15000	70.0	1050000

Corn: Acreage, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Planted For All Purposes	Harvested for Grain					Harvested for Silage		
		Acreage	Yield	Production	Price Per Bushel	Value of Production	Acreage	Yield	Production
		1000 Acres	1000 Bushels	1000 Bushels	Dollars	1000 Dollars	1000 Acres	Tons	1000 Tons
1976	125	96	105.0	10080	2.24	22579	24	13.5	324
1977	135	114	90.0	10260	2.10	21546	16	14.0	224
1978	105	72	106.0	7632	2.39	18240	29	15.0	435
1979	106	74	114.0	8436	2.81	23705	28	17.5	490
1980	105	75	90.0	6750	3.60	24300	26	14.0	364
1981	85	65	128.0	8320	2.84	23629	18	23.0	414
1982	90	65	125.0	8125	2.91	23644	23	22.0	506
1983	70	50	140.0	7000	3.36	23520	18	22.0	396
1984	87	63	150.0	9450	2.97	28067	20	24.0	480
1985	92	65	155.0	10075	2.65	26699	25	23.0	575

CORN
Bushels Produced, 1985



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Corn: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	1984				1985			
	Acreage	Acreage	Yield Per	Production	Acreage	Acreage	Yield Per	Production
	Planted	Harvested For Grain	Acres	Bushels	Planted	Harvested For Grain	Acres	Bushels
BERNALILLO	1300	400	70.0	28000	1400	750	68.6	51450
CATRON	100	50	85.0	4250	100	---	---	---
CHAVES	3500	150	126.0	18900	4200	100	110.0	11000
CIBOLA	300	150	80.0	12000	100	100	77.5	7750
COLFAX	100	50	90.0	4500	100	50	80.0	4000
CURRY	24300	22500	169.0	3801400	24400	22200	175.0	3885000
DE BACA	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
DONA ANA	3700	150	130.0	19500	4000	50	120.0	6000
EDDY	50	---	---	---	50	---	---	---
GRANT	50	50	85.0	4250	100	100	85.0	8500
GUADALUPE	50	---	---	---	50	50	80.0	4000
HARDING	---	---	---	---	150	100	95.0	9500
HIDALGO	1000	950	120.0	114000	1200	1150	120.0	138000
LEA	2200	900	141.8	127600	1700	850	144.0	122400
LINCOLN	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LUNA	1500	1100	165.0	181500	1500	1100	160.0	176000
MCKINLEY	600	600	33.0	19800	350	350	7.9	2750
MORA	150	100	24.5	2450	---	---	---	---
OTERO	50	---	---	---	50	---	---	---
QUAY	350	350	150.0	52500	800	650	150.0	97500
RIO ARRIBA	150	100	24.0	2400	250	150	21.3	3200
ROOSEVELT	8500	8000	145.0	1159600	10000	9600	148.0	1420800
SAN JUAN	13700	12900	134.0	1728000	14000	12500	140.0	1750000
SAN MIGUEL	350	200	28.3	5650	350	250	27.2	6800
SAN DOVAL	1700	100	45.0	4500	200	50	45.0	2250
SANTA FE	4400	1000	183.0	183000	4700	800	150.0	120000
SIERRA	1050	450	130.0	58500	1000	50	130.0	6500
SOCORRO	3300	2200	125.0	275000	3000	2600	150.0	390000
TAOS	50	---	---	---	50	---	---	---
TORRANCE	4000	2500	148.0	370000	6500	1900	125.0	237500
UNION	8000	7800	160.0	1247700	9700	9200	173.0	1591600
VALENCIA	2500	250	100.0	25000	2000	300	75.0	22500
STATE	87000	63000	150.0	9450000	92000	65000	155.0	10075000

Upland Cotton: Acreage, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production (480 Lb. Net Weight Bales)	Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	Planted	Harvested				
	1000 Acres	1000 Acres	Net Pounds	1000 Bales	Cents	1000 Dollars
1976	68.0	64.0	523	70.0	70.00	23520
1977	131.0	128.0	603	161.0	54.00	41731
1978	137.0	109.0	443	101.0	62.00	30058
1979	154.0	126.0	396	104.0	68.50	34195
1980	151.0	120.0	428	107.0	81.00	41602
1981	136.0	106.0	602	133.0	60.00	38304
1982	79.0	68.0	551	78.0	59.70	22352
1983	56.0	47.0	715	70.0	73.90	24830
1984	77.0	69.0	605	87.0	59.80	24972
1985	70.0	54.0	631	71.0	57.00	19426

Upland Cotton: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acres				Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production (480 Pound Net Weight Bales)	
	Planted		Harvested		Harvested Acre		Net Weight Bales	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
CHAVES	10900	11000	10700	9400	651	674	14500	13200
CURRY	3300	2600	2600	1650	383	445	2075	1530
DONA ANA	9550	8200	9450	8100	859	886	16900	14950
EDDY	9000	7950	8800	7300	718	687	13200	10450
HIDALGO	5450	5350	5450	5300	770	634	8700	7000
LEA	6800	7100	6100	5500	367	327	4665	3750
LUNA	11700	10400	11600	10200	806	729	19500	15500
OTERO	250	200	250	200	712	972	370	405
QUAY	2600	1600	1800	1050	262	393	985	860
ROOSEVELT	17300	15500	12100	5200	232	289	5840	3130
SIERRA	150	100	150	100	847	1080	265	225
STATE	77000	70000	69000	54000	605	631	87000	71000



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Cottonseed: Production, Farm Disposition, and Value

Crop Year	Production	Farm Disposition		Season Average Price Per Ton	Value of Production
		Sold To Oil Mills	Other 1/		
		-----1000 Tons-----		Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	29.0	25.0	4.0	102.00	2958
1977	68.0	58.0	10.0	66.00	4488
1978	44.0	40.0	4.0	125.00	5500
1979	44.0	40.0	4.0	115.00	5060
1980	45.0	40.0	5.0	124.00	5580
1981	66.0	57.0	9.0	87.00	5742
1982	39.5	20.3	19.2	82.00	3239
1983	34.3	31.7	2.6	168.00	5762
1984	40.0	32.0	8.0	102.00	4080
1985	31.3	23.2	8.1	60.50	1894

1/ Includes planting seed, exports, inter-farm sales, shrinkage, losses and other uses.

American-Pima Cotton: Acreage, Production, Price, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested Acre	Production (480 Lb. Net Weight Bales)	Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	Planted	Harvested				
	1000 Acres	1000 Acres	Net Pounds	1000 Bales	Cents	1000 Dollars
1976	6.5	6.3	476	6.2	105.00	3125
1977	9.4	9.3	621	12.0	85.00	4896
1978	14.1	13.7	454	13.0	90.00	5616
1979	16.0	14.8	246	7.5	101.00	3636
1980	7.1	7.0	464	6.8	105.00	3427
1981	7.1	6.8	558	7.9	103.00	3906
1982	9.5	9.4	511	10.0	102.00	4896
1983	11.1	11.1	683	15.8	114.00	8646
1984	10.0	10.0	595	12.4	98.60	5869
1985	8.0	7.9	687	11.3	98.80	5359

American-Pima Cotton: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acres				Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production (480 Pound Net Weight Bales)	
	Planted		Harvested		Acres		Bales	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
DONA ANA	8900	7320	8900	7270	607	702	11260	10635
EDDY, HIDALGO	1/	30	1/	30	1/	320	1/	20
LUNA	1100	650	1100	600	498	516	1140	645
STATE	10000	8000	10000	7900	595	687	12400	11300

1/ Eddy Co. has less than 10 acres, Hidalgo has 0 acres.

Irish Potatoes: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested		Price Per Cwt.	Value of Production
	Planted	Harvested	Acre	Production		
	1000 Acres	1000 Acres	Cwt.	1000 Cwt.	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	3.2	3.2	180	576	3.10	1786
1977	3.2	2.9	190	551	3.50	1929
1978	3.8	3.8	205	779	5.00	3895
1979	4.5	4.4	275	1210	3.25	3933
1980	3.5	3.0	180	540	6.85	3699
1981	4.5	4.5	210	945	6.50	6143
1982	5.0	4.9	260	1274	5.25	6689
1983	5.7	5.7	285	1625	6.40	10400
1984	9.3	9.1	290	2639	6.80	17945
1985	10.5	10.4	275	2860	4.70	13442

Irish Potatoes: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acreage				Yield Per Harvested		Production	
	Planted		Harvested		Acre		Cwt.	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
CURRY	2500	2400	2400	2400	270	275	648000	656000
ROOSEVELT	3400	4900	3300	4850	280	270	924000	1309000
SAN JUAN	1300	1800	1300	1800	320	300	416000	540000
TORRANCE	1400	1100	1400	1050	310	260	434000	273000
OTHER COUNTIES	700	300	700	300	310	275	217000	82000
STATE	9300	10500	9100	10400	290	275	2639000	2860000

Peanuts: Acreage, Yield, Production, Price, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>1000 Pounds</u>	<u>Cents</u>	<u>1000 Dollars</u>
1976	9500	2280	21660	24.5	5307
1977	9400	2700	25380	25.0	6345
1978	9400	2560	24064	22.0	5294
1979	9200	2750	25300	22.6	5718
1980	8800	2540	22352	28.0	6259
1981	10000	2490	24900	27.0	6723
1982	10400	2425	25220	30.2	7616
1983	11000	2330	25630	29.2	7484
1984	14500	2220	32190	29.0	9335
1985	12400	2580	31992	29.3	9374

Peanuts: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	1984			1985		
	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre	Production
	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Acres</u>	<u>Pounds</u>	<u>Pounds</u>
CURRY	1000	2100	2100000	650	2170	1410500
LEA	1800	2365	4257000	1650	2940	4851000
QUAY	---	---	---	---	---	---
ROOSEVELT	11700	2208	25833000	10100	2548	25730500
STATE	14500	2220	32190000	12400	2580	31992000

Grain Stocks: Quantities Stored On and Off Farms

Year	January 1		April 1		June 1		October 1	
	On Farm	Off Farm	On Farm	Off Farm	On Farm	Off Farm	On Farm	Off Farm
	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total	Total

-----1,000 Bushels-----

BARLEY

1982	469	176	281	140	131	103	733	236
1983	488	85	317	72	147	1/	500	248
1984	173	88	129	77	52	1/	270	262
1985	90	206	60	162	30	1/	105	498
1986	53	336	2/	2/				

CORN

1982	1664	1572	1248	1450	749	994	416	552
1983	1706	1964	1544	1903	813	1701	569	1473
1984	1190	1444	910	873	420	638	140	1/
1985	2363	1/	945	1/	378	1/	95	1/
1986	2015	1/	2/	1/				

SORGHUM

1982	3060	5338	857	3600	734	2952	673	2326
1983	1842	5627	1579	4294	1448	3892	1053	3255
1984	1449	4371	1260	2497	1134	2424	693	1507
1985	2926	5446	2464	3739	2002	1899	1232	1479
1986	2645	5285	2/	2/				

WHEAT

1982	1650	2723	1320	2367	1210	2158	2933	5802
1983	1785	5662	1658	5337	1530	4836	1363	6052
1984	1090	5208	818	4366	750	4191	1555	5969
1985	1316	4325	1196	4008	897	3806	2873	1/
1986	2668	6371	1/	6123				

1/ Not shown to avoid disclosing individual operations.

2/ No longer published beginning April 1, 1986.

Fruits, Nuts and Vegetables

Apples: Production, Price, and Value

New Mexico apple orchards increased in production for the second consecutive year in 1985. Apple growers produced 10 million pounds of the fruit in 1985, an increase of 2 million pounds, or 25 percent, over 1984. The average yield per bearing tree was 76.9 pounds, compared with 61.5 pounds one year earlier. The price received by apple producers averaged 13.4 cents per pound, or \$5.55 per bushel. This compares with \$7.18 per bushel received for the 1984 apple crop. Value of the 1985 crop dropped 4 percent to \$1,340,000.

Crop Year	Utilized Production	Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	1000 Pounds	Cents	1000 Dollars
1976	21000	11.7	2457
1977	25000	11.5	2875
1978	17000	9.7	1649
1979	14000	13.0	1820
1980	12000	12.4	1488
1981	17000	12.6	2142
1982	12000	12.4	1488
1983	6000	14.4	864
1984	8000	17.5	1400
1985	10000	13.4	1340

Apples: Utilized Production by County

County	1978 Survey 1/ Trees	Utilized Production					
		1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
	Number	1,000 Pounds					
BERNALILLO, VALENCIA	6600	500	800	800	400	550	650
CHAVES, DONA ANA, OTERO	30150	2100	3400	1500	750	1000	1250
GRANT, SIERRA, DE BACA	17200	2000	2750	2500	1200	1650	2000
LINCOLN	24900	2000	2000	300	100	200	200
RIO ARRIBA	44300	2700	2700	3200	1700	2250	2850
SAN JUAN	12800	400	1850	900	550	600	900
SANDOVAL	15200	1900	2900	2200	1000	1350	1650
SANTA FE	4850	400	600	600	300	400	500
STATE	156000	12000	17000	12000	6000	8000	10000

1/ Orchards of 100 or more trees.

Pecans: Production, Price, and Value



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Crop Year	Production	Price Per Pound	Value of Production
	1000 Pounds	Cents	1000 Dollars
1976	11500	100.0	11500
1977	15000	81.0	12150
1978	15000	75.0	11250
1979	14700	69.0	10143
1980	14700	88.0	12936
1981	20000	86.0	17200
1982	25000	83.0	20750
1983	29000	73.0	21170
1984	24000	83.0	19920
1985	26000	88.0	22880

New Mexico's 1985 pecan production was 26.0 million pounds, in-shell basis, 8 percent above the previous year's crop of 24.0 million pounds. The 1985 production is the second highest on record. The record high production was set in 1983 with 29.0 million pounds. The harvest of the 1985 crop was assisted significantly by good weather during the harvest season.

Prices received by New Mexico pecan growers were 5 cents, or 6 percent, higher than prices received for the 1984 crop. The value of the 1985 crop was 22.88 million dollars, 15 percent above the value one year earlier.

Pecans: Orchards, Acres, Trees, and Production

County	1985 Survey 1/			Production	
	Acres	Orchards	Trees	1984	1985
	Number			1000 Pounds	
CHAVES	2429	37	124260	2950	3196
DONA ANA	13944	312	810540	19313	20923
EDDY	971	46	46740	626	678
LEA	940	36	45600	187	203
LUNA	967	24	50160	482	522
OTERO	1069	40	49020	278	301
SIERRA	154	8	7980	137	148
OTHER COUNTIES	162	16	7700	27	29
STATE	20636	519	1142000	24000	26000

1/ Orchards of 20 or more trees.



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Lettuce, a cool season crop, has two distinct growing seasons in New Mexico: spring and fall. Spring lettuce production for 1985 was 356 thousand hundredweight, 34 percent greater than the previous year's level. Fall production was 300 thousand hundredweight, 3 percent below fall production in 1984. The average spring price per hundredweight was 8.60 dollars while the average fall price was 9.10 dollars. The combined spring and fall value was 5.8 million dollars. In 1985, spring and fall New Mexico production accounted for 1 percent of the total U.S. production.

Lettuce: Monthly Prices Received

Year	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
-----Dollars Per 100 Pounds-----								
1980	12.00	12.00	12.90	---	---	---	8.90	12.90
1981	11.20	12.00	---	---	---	---	10.20	9.06
1982	10.60	12.50	10.90	---	---	---	8.54	12.40
1983	---	18.90	14.30	---	---	---	18.00	11.60
1984	---	6.40	---	---	---	---	21.80	9.00
1985	17.00	8.70	6.30	---	---	10.00	8.50	11.00

Spring Lettuce: Acreage, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested	Production	Price Per	Value of
	Planted	Harvested	Acre		Cwt.	Production
	Acres	Acres	Cwt.	1000 Cwt.	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	1100	900	190	171	5.60	958
1977	1000	750	170	128	6.50	832
1978	1400	1300	270	351	15.50	5441
1979	1500	1000	150	150	7.66	1149
1980	700	700	180	126	12.00	1512
1981	850	610	250	153	11.90	1821
1982	1500	1500	335	503	12.40	6237
1983	2600	2300	310	713	18.10	12905
1984	3000	1900	140	266	6.40	1702
1985	2000	1600	220	356	8.60	3053

Fall Lettuce: Acreage, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested	Production	Price Per	Value of
	Planted	Harvested	Acre		Cwt.	Production
	Acres	Acres	Cwt.	1000 Cwt.	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	3600	3200	260	832	14.20	11814
1977	4500	3000	200	600	8.85	5310
1978	4700	3700	190	703	7.96	5596
1979	3300	3200	200	640	9.11	5830
1980	3200	2800	185	518	9.90	5128
1981	3500	2800	210	588	9.99	5874
1982	3500	3300	230	759	9.93	7537
1983	3200	3000	205	615	15.40	9471
1984	3000	1400	220	308	12.00	3696
1985	2400	1600	185	300	9.10	2720

Spring Lettuce: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acreage				Yield Per Harvested		Production	
	Planted		Harvested		Acre			
	Acres		Acres		Cwt.		Cwt.	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
DONA ANA	2850	1900	1805	1520	140	220	252700	338400
LUNA, SIERRA	150	100	95	80	140	220	13300	17600
STATE	3000	2000	1900	1600	140	220	266000	356000

Fall Lettuce: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acreage				Yield Per Harvested		Production	
	Planted		Harvested		Acre			
	Acres		Acres		Cwt.		Cwt.	
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
DONA ANA	2850	2260	1330	1500	220	185	292600	281500
LUNA, SIERRA	150	140	70	100	220	185	15400	18500
STATE	3000	2400	1400	1600	220	185	308000	300000

Onions: Monthly Prices Received

The major varieties of commercially grown onions in New Mexico include Grano, Granex, Sweet Spanish, and Mid-Summer Hybrids. Onions grown in New Mexico are primarily shipped for fresh market. Harvest usually begins in late May and continues through September. New Mexico onion production in 1985 was 1,463 thousand hundredweight, up 7 percent from the previous year's production of 1,365 thousand hundredweight. The total value of production was 19.5 million dollars, an increase of 21 percent over 1984's level. In 1985, New Mexico production accounted for 52 percent of total U.S. summer non-storage production.

Year	June	July	Aug.	Sept.
-----Dollars Per 100 Pounds-----				
1976	5.30	5.90	5.70	4.95
1977	9.50	7.70	6.70	6.20
1978	7.40	9.50	9.90	7.30
1979	13.20	12.80	7.20	---
1980	9.00	9.00	9.80	---
1981	15.10	17.90	15.90	---
1982	7.57	9.12	10.20	7.60
1983	7.70	9.30	9.50	8.50
1984	10.30	13.60	12.00	10.30
1985	9.60	21.50	9.80	7.50

Onions: Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value

Crop Year	Acreage		Yield Per Harvested	Production	Price Per	Value of
	Planted	Harvested	Acre		Cwt.	Production
	Acres	Acres	Cwt.	1000 Cwt.	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	4200	4000	335	1340	5.60	7504
1977	3500	3200	325	1040	7.70	8008
1978	4300	3700	320	1184	8.54	10111
1979	3500	3200	300	960	11.10	10656
1980	4000	3900	290	1131	9.20	10405
1981	3600	3600	345	1242	16.20	20120
1982	4600	4500	365	1643	8.69	14278
1983	4400	3900	320	1248	8.90	11107
1984	4100	3900	350	1365	11.80	16107
1985	4700	4500	325	1463	13.30	19458

Onions: Acreage, Yield, and Production by County

County	Acreage				Yield Per Harvested Acre		Production	
	Planted		Harvested		Cwt.		Cwt.	
	Acres				Cwt.			
	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985	1984	1985
DONA ANA	3300	3565	3200	3480	350	325	1120000	1131000
LUNA	400	300	360	280	375	350	135000	98000
SIERRA	50	175	25	140	300	300	7500	42000
OTHER COUNTIES	350	660	315	600	325	320	102500	192000
STATE	4100	4700	3900	4500	350	325	1365000	1463000



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Chile: Acreage, Yield, Production, and Value

Year	Acreage Harvested	Yield Per Acre Dry Weight Equivalent 1/	Total Production Dry Weight Equivalent	Average Price Per Ton	Total Value
	Acres	Tons	Tons	Dollars	1000 Dollars
1976	10400	1.34	13960	N/A	N/A
1977	10900	1.52	16600	853.00	14160
1978	11200	1.54	17200	925.00	15910
1979	15100	1.20	18100	1010.00	18281
1980	17200	1.36	23400	1125.00	26325
1981	15300	1.60	24500	1340.00	32830
1982	14600	1.70	24800	1204.00	29859
1983	17200	1.60	27500	1210.00	33275
1984	17000	1.60	27200	1100.00	29920
1985	19300	1.55	29900	1125.00	33638

1/ A 5:1 ratio was used to convert green tonnage to a dry weight equivalent.



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Production from the 1985 chile crop set a new record high at 29,900 dry equivalent tons. The previous record was set in 1983 with 27,500 dry equivalent tons. This increase in production is attributed to the 14 percent increase in harvested acreage from the previous year. Acreage in the State is estimated at 19,300 acres. The value of production also set a record high at 33.6 million dollars. The average price received by farmers increased 25 dollars per dry equivalent ton to 1,125.00 dollars. Yield per acre dropped 3 percent from last year to 1.55 dry equivalent tons per acre. The amount of processed green chile increased 5,500 tons over 1984 to 35,300 tons. Processed red chile tonnage increased 6 percent to 15,100 tons. Of the total processed green tonnage, 84 percent was of mild varieties. Of the total processed red tonnage, 73 percent was of mild varieties.

Chile: Processed Tons, Price, and Value^{1/}

Year	Mild Varieties		Hot and Miscellaneous Varieties		All Varieties Total		Average Price Per Ton		Total Value
	Green	Red	Green	Red	Green	Red	Green	Red	
	Tons						Dollars		1000 Dollars
1976	N/A	7150	N/A	1000	N/A	8150	N/A	788.00	6422
1977		10140		880		11020		731.00	8056
1978		9050		660		9710		740.00	7185
1979	19220	8580	1280	440	20500	9020	177.00	789.00	10745
1980	27000	12200	3400	900	30400	13100	228.00	842.00	17961
1981	23000	11900	7300	1500	30300	13400	237.00	1083.00	21693
1982	28000	9900	5200	2300	33200	12200	229.00	896.00	18534
1983	27200	9500	7000	2800	34200	12300	230.00	850.00	18321
1984	25100	12500	4700	1700	29800	14200	235.00	884.00	19556
1985	29500	11000	5800	4100	35300	15100	246.00	855.00	21594

1/ Estimates based on processor reports; includes chile processed out of state. 1976-1978 peppers for drying only; 1979-1985 includes all processed chile.

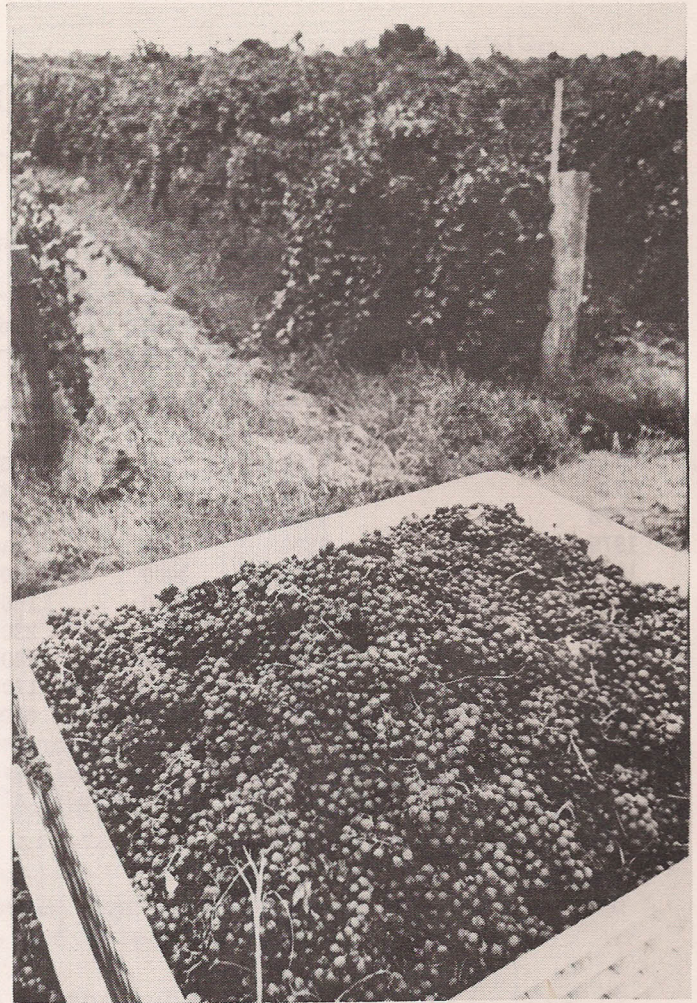
Chile: Acreage by County

County	1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985
Acres							
BERNALILLO	400	450	500	550	650	650	700
CHAVES	900	1200	1200	700	700	1000	750
DONA ANA	9500	10700	7700	7700	8200	8300	8300
EDDY	375	790	800	800	1600	250	370
HIDALGO	50	180	150	10	70	130	240
LUNA	500	1390	920	1300	2100	2650	4400
RIO ARRIBA	300	350	260	200	250	250	250
SANDOVAL	200	300	300	400	500	550	550
SIERRA	2100	1000	2500	2200	2380	2500	2700
SOCORRO	180	250	300	300	300	300	500
OTHER COUNTIES	595	590	670	440	450	420	540
STATE	15100	17200	15300	14600	17200	17000	19300

Commercial grape acreage in New Mexico leveled off during 1985. Acreage for 1985 is estimated at 4,150 acres. The 1984 acreage was revised downward to 4,050 acres, indicating only a 100 acre, or 2.5 percent, increase in acreage from 1984 to 1985.

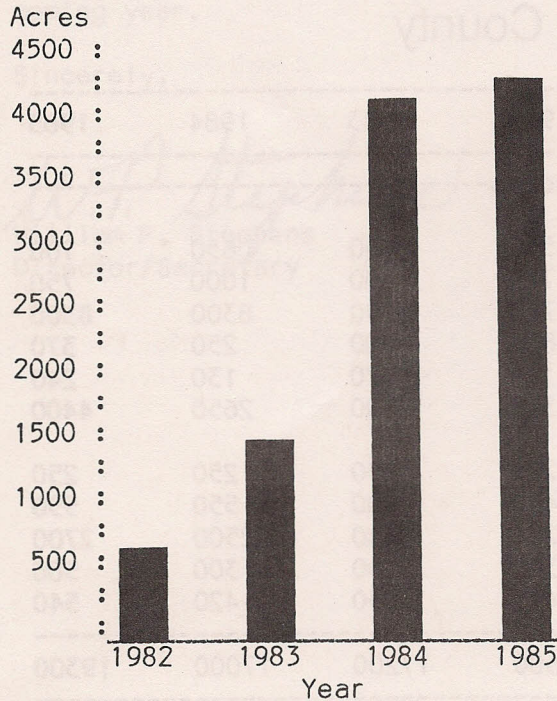
The number of commercial vineyards remains unchanged at approximately 70. Over 90 percent of all grape acreage is located in Hidalgo, Luna, Sierra, and Socorro counties. The total number of vines is estimated at 2,905,000. The 1984 figure was revised downward to 2,632,500 vines.

Grape production increased significantly as newly planted vineyards came into production. Production in 1985 is estimated at 1,990 tons, 431 percent greater than in 1984. Approximately 1,820 tons, or 91 percent, were used for commercial wine processing. The remaining 170 tons were either sold as fresh market grapes, used on the farms where produced, or donated for charitable purposes.



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Grape Acreage, 1982-85



Grapes: Acreage, Vines, and Production

Year	Acres	Vines	Production (Tons) 1/
Before 1981	85	40,000	N/A
1981	165	70,000	N/A
1982	540	295,000	N/A
1983	1,450	775,000	190
1984 2/	4,050	2,632,500	375
1985	4,150	2,905,000	1,990

1/ Production data not collected prior to 1983.

2/ Revised.